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MEMBER OF THE PHARMACEUTICAL SOCIETY OF GREAT BRITAIN

SEARBY & MOORE,

Dispensing Chemists,

GOVERNMENT STREET,

HAVING RECEIVED, per "Excelsior," and other recent arrivals from London, considerable additions to their stock, are now able offer to the public

THE BEST SELECTED STOCK OF

DRUGS

In the Colony.

As their attention is now devoted to establishing a

PURE DRUG BUSINESS,

The Medical Profession, and those interested in having carefully prepared Medicines, have all the advantages that UNDIVIDED ATTENTION can secure, Being

Practical Pharmaceutists,

AS WELL AS

IMPORTERS OF DRUGS,

They will be able to supply whatever new remedies may from time to time be called into requisition by the combined investigations of Physicians and Chemists, whether European or American. While, however, their first aim is to procure the best materials, and by skilful manipulation to produce therefrom

The Best Medicines!

They at the same time keep a constant supply of every kind of remedial appliances, such as Bandages, Splints, Trusses, Elastic Stockings, Ear and Enema Syringes, Breast Pumps, etc., of the newest and most improved descriptions, and also such articles for the Nursery, the Toilet, the Sick Room, and for general family use as are usually found in the First-Class Druggists' Shops of England.

Among their recent importation, the following are especially worthy of attention:

PURE NEWFOUNDLAND

COD LIVER OIL,

(NEW);

SPARKLING EFFERVESCENT

Citrate of Magnesia,

Prepared in London, Expressly for S. & M.

COUGH LOZENGES,
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PEPSINE---The Genuine,

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JAMES' FEVER POWDER,
(The Genuine,)

FLUID MAGNESIA!
DINNEFORD'S AND MURRAY'S,

NELSON'S CUT GELATINE,

VICKERS' CUT ISINGLASS,
For Family Use.

TURKEY SPONGES

Puff Boxes.

GOSNELL'S

Hair Brushes!

Large, and of First Quality. de29

NEW GOODS!

Ex "Napoleon III."

Huckabuck Towelings, Toilet and Colored Damask Table Covers, Oil Cloths, White and Venetian Window Hollands, Bough and Medium Shirtings, Prints and Delaines, Trimmings, Ruches, Antimacassars, Chenille Hair Nets, Tarlatan and Book Muslins, Swiss Curtains and Nottingham Lace, Cambric Collars, Sleeve Sets, Flower Bonnet Fronts, Crochet and Thread Laces, Ladies' Belts, White Cotton and Worsted Hose, Vests, &c., Gent's Cotton Merino and Fancy Socks, Shirts and Vests, Ties, Scarfs, Mufflers, Collars, Handkerchiefs, White, Regatta and Baltic Shirts, Belts and Braces.

For Sale, at reasonable prices, at
FREDERICK DALLY'S,
Government Street.
ja20 1m

CASH PRINCIPLE!

SINCE THE ILLNESS OF MR BRUNN,
MERCHANT TAILOR & OUTFITTER,
GOVERNMENT STREET,

The business of his Establishment has been conducted upon Cash principles. Mr. Brunn begs to say to his numerous and very kind friends that having seen the advantages derived by his customers and experienced the benefit himself of Cash payments, he is determined for the future to continue his business upon the same plan, and as he purchases every thing for ready money he is able to supply his friends upon the best and easiest terms.

BRUNN'S

Fashionable Clothing

STORE,

ESTABLISHED 1858.

Government Street,

Next the Bank of British Columbia.
ja8 1m

Buy Where You Can

PURCHASE CHEAPEST.

—OO—

WM. WILSON,

Government Street,

CLOTHING STORE,

Has on hand a most complete Stock of Superior

WINTER CLOTHING,

Which he is selling at Lower Prices than any other Store in Victoria. ja3

LONDON HOUSE!

Fort Street.

THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVE MUCH PLEASURE TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEIR New Store will be opened THIS DAY, December 29th, at 12 o'clock noon, with a Choice Lot of Goods, just received by Express from London and Paris direct, consisting of

RICH BLACK, AND FANCY SILKS.

—AND—

MOIRE ANTIQUES,

VELVET MANTLES, FRENCH AND PAISLEY SHAWLS,
LADIES' and CHILDRENS' UNDERCLOTHING.
TRIMMED BONNETS and HATS.
FRENCH and ENGLISH FLOWERS.

Real Valenciennes and Maltese Laces,

—AND THE—

NEW YAK LACES,

EMBROIDERIES, DRESS MATERIALS, etc.

These goods have been selected from the Best Stocks in Europe, and are such as are worn this season in London. They will be sold at reasonable prices

FOR CASH.

Further goods to arrive by next steamer, and their stock will be complete by Napoleon III, with every description of Drapery.

J. H. TURNER & CO.

London House, Fort street, nearly opposite Occidental Hotel.
Chronicle copy. de29 1m

For San Francisco

DIRECT,

The Fast Sailing Clipper Schooner

Kate Adams,

C. MACFARLANE, MASTER,

IS NOW ON THE BERTH AND LOADING at UNION WHARF for the above Port, and has room for a limited quantity of Freight and a few Passengers.

Will sail on or about 30th January Current.

For rates of freight or passage, enquire at Union Wharf.
ja26 3t R. BRODRICK.

ROYAL MAIL

Steam Packet

Company's Agency,

For British Columbia & Vancouver Island.

OFFICE, MACDONALD & CO., BANKERS,

Yates Street.

THE ATTENTION OF SHIPPERS and passengers is particularly directed to the superior facilities the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company's Line affords for the speedy conveyance of Treasure, Goods and Passengers to and from England to British Columbia and Vancouver Island, in connection with the Pacific Mail Steamship Company's Vessels and the Panama Railroad.

The superiority of the accommodation and entertainment on board the Royal Mail Steamers, together with the time occupied on the passage between England and Aspinwall direct being so much shorter than by any other route, and the moderate rate of passage money, render this Company's steamers the CHEAPEST AND MOST EXPEDITIOUS MEANS OF TRANSIT, for passengers or for the forwarding of Goods and Treasure from Aspinwall to Europe.

Under an arrangement with the PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO., Specie and Bullion can be conveyed to London and Havre in France.

Further information on the subject of Freight and Passage Money will be furnished by the under signed.

ALEX. D. MACDONALD,
Agent.

MACDONALD & CO.,

Yates street, Victoria, V. I.

SELL EXCHANGE drawn at sight or on time, on
Coutts & Co., London.
Bank of State of New York, New York.
DRAFTS on
San Francisco, California.
Portland, Oregon.
GOLD DUST and Bullion purchased at the highest rates.
ADVANCES MADE on gold dust left for assay at Government Assay Office, New Westminster; or if sent for assay or coinage to United States Mint, San Francisco.
Collections made on reasonable terms, and a General Banking Business Transacted
Victoria, V. I., Jan 17, 1862 ja20-1m

FOR HONGKONG,

TOUCHING AT HONOLULU.

THE FINE A 1 BRITISH Clipper Ship
"QUEEN OF ENGLAND,"
1,200 Tons Register,

MICHAEL NOLAN, Esq.....COMMANDER,
Will sail for the above port on or about the 15th February.
Has superior accommodation for a limited number of Cabin and Steerage Passengers.
For rates of passage apply to
J. J. SOUTHGATE & CO.,
Agents, Wharf street.
WANTED--A Chief Officer for the above ship.
ja14 tf

California and Oregon

STEAMSHIP LINE,

Carrying H. M. Mails.

THE FOLLOWING STEAMERS WILL leave San Francisco during January and February:
OREGON.....via Portland....January 7
PACIFIC.....Direct..... " 17
OREGON.....via Portland.... " 27
PACIFIC.....do ....February 7
OREGON.....Direct..... " 17
PACIFIC.....via Portland.... " 2
For Freight or Passage apply to
DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.,
Agents.
ja14 tf

NEW GOODS.

Mrs. Force

Having Received per last Steamer

A Superior Assortment of

CHILDREN'S HATS, DRESSES, CLOTHING, &C., &C.,

Will be prepared on MONDAY next to supply the same on moderate terms.

The Goods having left London in November last are of the Latest Fashions.

Address, Yates street, three doors above Broad.
ja19 1m

GROCERIES.

Sporborg & Rueff,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Importers and Wholesale Dealers

—IN—

Groceries, Provisions,

Boots and Shoes.

WHARF STREET.....VICTORIA, V. I
ja21 D&W tf

LOWE BROTHERS,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS

AND IMPORTERS OF

Groceries and Provisions

—ALSO—

Importers and Agents for the best brands of French Wines and Liquors, and are constantly in receipt of direct shipments of Havana Cigars.

REID'S BLOCK, WHARF STREET.
ja13 tf

GOLDSTONE & BRO.

AGENTS FOR THE

Pioneer Flour Mills,

COMMISSION MERCHANT

Importer and Wholesale Dealer in

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS

Dry Goods, Clothing,

BOOTS AND SHOES, Etc., Etc., Etc.,

ja8 Wharf street, Victoria, V. I.

POSITIVELY

FOR SALE.

THE PREMISES,

Good-will of Business

AND LARGE

Well Assorted Stock

—OF—

Dry Goods.

MRS. JEFFRAY,

Government Street,

BEING ABOUT TO RETIRE FROM Business, offers for sale the whole of the well selected Stock of Dry Goods now on hand, together with the Premises and Good-will of Business. Being one of the oldest established businesses in this city, for persons desirous of going into the Dry Goods Business this presents an opportunity which seldom occurs.

As the whole of the above must positively be disposed of on or before

THE 1st of MARCH 1864

SHE WILL THIS DAY COMMENCE

TO SELL OFF

THE STOCK

At Twenty-five Per Cent Below

Cost Price,

Thus affording to Families a rare opportunity of purchasing

GOODS MUCH UNDER COST PRICES.

Victoria, V. I., 28th December, 1863. de28 1m

Notice.

MRS. JEFFRAY, GOVERNMENT street, being positively going to retire from business on the 1st March, 1864, would therefore respectfully request all persons who are owing her accounts to call and settle the same before the 1st of February, 1864; all unsettled accounts at that date will, without reserve, be given to a collector for collection. de28 1m

HICKMAN, TYE & CO,

Next the Theatre, Government street,

Have on hand, ex "Dusy Miller" and "Excelsior,"

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF BAR, Banding and Hoop Iron "Gilpin's" best Double Horse Shoe "Brand."
BEST B.B.H. BAR IRON;
SHEET IRON;
STEEL--Octagon Cast, Toe Corks, Spring and Shear;
TIN--In Ingots and Bars;
SHEET ZINC;
WIRE;
SPRINGS AND AXLES, BOLTS AND NUTS, etc., etc.
HORSE AND MULE SHOES & NAILS.
And a large assortment of Carpenters' Tools and General Hardware.
EARTHENWARE AND GLASSWARE;
Also, to arrive per "Sea Snake" and "Lockett," a large assortment of Bar Iron, Sheet Iron, Tin Plates, Sheet Zinc, Bar Tin, etc., etc ja3 1m

LOOK AT THIS!

ALL YE THAT ARE WEARY AND want rest and neat rooms, clean and comfortable Beds, the same can be obtained at the

ROYAL CHARTER LODGING ROOMS,

ON FORT STREET,

Fourth door from Government street, opposite the Occidental Billiard-Rooms.

The same having been newly fitted up and furnished in a superior style of neatness and comfort as a

First Class Lodging House

And is now open for the accommodation of those who wish to indulge in the luxury of a clean and comfortable Bed and Room.

Rooms rented by the day, week, or month, on reasonable terms. Call and see.

L. NYE,
Proprietor.
Ja1 1m

COAL

Of the best kind constantly on hand at Reduced Prices,

—ALSO—

Oak and Pine Wood cut to order all required lengths.

All orders left at the office will be delivered free of cartage or porterage in any part of the city.

KAVANAGH, HUNTER & CO.,
Wharf street, west of James Bay. ja23

FOR SALE.

25 KEGS BLASTING POWDER FOR sale by
ja22 EDGAR MARVIN.

HOTELS AND SALOONS.

OCCIDENTAL BAR,

Cor. of Fort and Government streets,

MARSHALL & LINCK

PROPRIETORS.

The best WINES, LIQUORS, ETC., always on hand. ja22 tf

ST. LOUIS COLLEGE.

PANDORA STREET.....VICTORIA, V. I.

THIS ESTABLISHMENT IS UNDER the patronage of His Lordship the Right Rev'd M. Demers, D. D., Bishop of Vancouver Island, and under the superintendence of the R. R. Fathers Oblates of Mary Immaculate.

President—The Rev. Father Baudre, O. M. I.
Prefect of Studies—The Rev. Father McGuckin, O. M. I.
Professors—Alex. Gibson, B. A.
P. L. Allen, O. M. I.
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COURSE OF INSTRUCTION.

The Greek and Latin Classics.
Philosophy—Logic, Metaphysics and Ethics, Physical Science—Astronomy, Botany, Chemisty, and Mineralogy, Mathematics—Algebra, Geometry and Trigonometry, Arithmetic, Writing, Book-keeping, Ancient and Modern History, Geography and the use of the Globes, Modern Languages—French and Spanish, Drawing, Music—Vocal and Instrumental.

Members of every religious denomination are received, provided they be willing, for the sake of order and regularity, to conform to the general regulations of the College.

Every exertion will be made to place the establishment on a footing worthy of the full confidence of Parents and Guardians.

Particular attention will be paid to the Elementary and Commercial Departments.

TERMS.

Tuition in the preparatory department per month	$ 3 00
Tuition in higher departments per month	5 00
Boarding per Session	18 00
Washing and Mending	40 00
Bedding	8 00
Half Boarders per Session	90 00

The Session will consist of 11 months.

Payments are to be made every half Session, and in advance.

There will be an extra charge for instruction in Spanish, Music, and Drawing.

No extra charge for French.

The College will be open for the reception of pupils on THURSDAY, 7th JANUARY, 1864.

For the special division of Scholars, and other particulars, apply to the Rev'd Father, the President of the College. ja3 3m

Boarding School for Boys

VICTORIA, V. I.

THE REV. CHARLES T. WOODS, M. A., Principal of the Collegiate School, receives Boarders at his residence, Vancouver street, where in addition to being assisted in their studies, they will receive in other respects every care and attention.

TERMS

Under sixteen years of age.....$30 per month
Above sixteen years of age..... 40 Exclusive of School Fees
de18 3m

Collegiate School for Boys,

VICTORIA, V. I.

VISITOR—The Right Reverend the Lord Bishop.
PRINCIPAL—The Rev. Charles T. Woods, M. A., T. C. D. and Oxon.
VICE PRINCIPAL—The Rev. William Sheldon Reece, M. A., late Scholar of Emmanuel College, Cambridge.
ASSISTANT MASTER—Robert Williams, M. A., Cantab. (Wrangler and Member of the Senate of the University of Cambridge.)
DRAWING MASTER—Mr E. Vincent.
PROFESSOR OF SINGING—Mr. Digby Palmer.

Course of Instruction:

The Greek and Latin Classics,
Mathematics—Arithmetic, Geometry, Algebra, Trigonometry.
The English course comprises Geography, History, Book-keeping, Astronomy, Natural Philosophy, &c.
Modern Languages—French and Spanish.
Drawing and Singing.

The Collegiate School is conducted on the principles of the old established English Grammar Schools, a Religious Education being the recognized basis of all instruction.

TERMS.

Under 12 years of age	$5 per month
Under 16 years of age	$6 per month
Over 16 years of age	$8 per month

No Extras. Fees payable in advance.

Terms for boarders, or any other particulars, may be known on application to the Rev. the Principal. no17 6m

NEW

Boot and Shoe Store,

Pattrick's New Brick Building

GOVERNMENT STREET,

ADJOINING THE ISLAND HOTEL

THE SUBSCRIBERS, having just received a large and handsome assortment of
LADIES,' GENTLEMEN'S and CHILDREN'S
Boots, Shoes and Gaiters,
From the first manufacturers of America and Europe, have opened their stock at the above address.
Every description of goods in their line will be sold
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,
AT LOW PRICES.
Gent's Boots made to order in the best style.
Repairing done with neatness and dispatch
SCHULTZ & TRICKEY
ja 2 1m

Notice of Removal.

THE OFFICE

—OF THE—

Royal Insurance Company,

IS REMOVED FROM WHARF STREET

TO STORE STREET,

Where Policies in future will be Issued.

ANDERSON & CO.
Victoria, 5th January, 1864. ja7

THE

ROYAL INSURANCE

Company,

Capital..... $10,000,000.
Reserved Fund to meet Current Losses..... 4,000,000.

In approved Convertable Securities which are carefully and periodically examined.

CHARLES TURNER, ESQ., M. P.,
Chairman.

The business of the past year has added largely to the resources of this old established Institution.

ANDERSON & CO.
Agents for Vancouver Island and British Columbia.
Victoria, 1st January, 1864. ja7

Notice of Removal.

ANDERSON & CO.,

HAVE THIS DAY REMOVED THEIR Offices to their new Building on Store street.
ja7

CAUTION.

A ROBBERY OF NOTES OF the Bank of British North America has been committed on my premises, the numbers of which are known to me and for the recovery whereof a Reward has been offered, I therefore warn all persons from taking any such Notes, as I shall take legal proceedings for the protection of my rights.
ja23 L. D. LOWENBERG.

A. F MAIN,

Land Agent,

STOCK AND SHARE BROKER,

—AND—

ACCOUNTANT.

OFFICE ON GOVERNMENT STREET, Opposite Broughton street.
August 17th, 1863. ja18 tf

Church of Scotland.

DIVINE SERVICE IN CONNECTION with this Church is held (temporarily) in the City Council Hall, Broad street. Morning at 11 o'clock; Evening, half past six o'clock. de30

NOTICES.

Ship Lockett, from Liverpool.

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR Agents of this Ship will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew.
DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.
Victoria, V. I., 21st January, 1864. ja22 1w

Ship Lockett, from Liverpool.

CONSIGNEES BY THIS SHIP ARE hereby notified that she will begin discharging at our Wharf to-morrow (Friday) morning, and that all goods not taken away by 5 o'clock, p. m., every day, will be stored at the expense and risk of the owners.
DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.,
Consignees.
Victoria, V. I., 21st Jan'y., 1864. ja22 1w

NOTICE.

DURING THE ABSENCE OF MR. Robert Burnaby from this colony, Mr Thomas Lett Stahlschmidt holds Powers of Attorney to act for the firm of Henderson & Burnaby, and also for Mr Burnaby in his private capacity.
Victoria, January 20, 1864. ja21

CONSIGNEES

Of Ship Napoleon III, from London

ARE REQUESTED TO CALL AT THE Office of the undersigned to pay freight and receive orders for their goods.

Goods lightered from Esquimalt will be landed at the Hudson's Bay Company's Wharf where they will be at the owner's risk if not fetched away by the close of the day's work.

HENDERSON & BURNABY,
Victoria, January 16th, 1864. ja18

Notice!

Ship Napoleon III, from London

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for debts contracted by the crew of the above
HENDERSON & BURNABY.
ja18

NOTICE.

ON THE 14th INSTANT I TRANSferred to Mr. W. H. HUSKINSON all my interest in the business heretofore carried on by me as a merchant in Wharf street. And all those who are indebted to me are hereby notified that Mr. W. H. Huskinson is authorized to collect the amounts due to me.
JOSEPH CHARLES RIDGE.
Victoria, January 14th, 1864.

Referring to the above, I hereby give notice that I have assumed the business of Mr. JOSEPH CHARLES RIDGE, which will be carried on by me as usual, at the corner of Wharf and Fort streets
W. H. HUSKINSON.
Victoria, January 14th, 1864. ja14 tf

NOTICE.

ON THE 1ST INSTANT WE TRANSferred to Messrs. Lowe Brothers all our interest in the business heretofore carried on by us as Merchants in Wharf street; and all those who are indebted to us are hereby notified that Messrs. Lowe Brothers are authorized to collect the amounts due to us.
G. VIGNOLO & CO.
Victoria, January 8th, 1864.

REFERRING TO THE ABOVE, WE hereby give notice that we have assumed the business of Messrs. G. Vignolo & Co., which will be carried on as usual at the premises, No. 2, Reid's Block, Wharf street.
ja9 1m LOWE BROTHERS.
Express copy.

THE

Bank of British Columbia

Incorporated by Royal Charter.

Capital, ... $1,250,000.

IN 12,500 SHARES, OF $100 EACH,

WITH POWER TO INCREASE.

AGENTS

IN BRITISH COLUMBIA,
NEW WESTMINSTER—Bank of British Columbia.
IN ENGLAND.
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IN IRELAND.
Union Bank of Ireland.
IN THE UNITED STATES.
NEW YORK—Messrs. Maitland, Phelps & Co.
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IN CANADA.
MONTREAL—Messrs. Gillespie, Moffatt & Co.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS are opened for any amount not less than One Hundred Dollars, and every facility granted to traders and others for the transaction of business.

DEPOSIT RECEIPTS issued for money lodged for fixed periods, bearing the following rates of Interest:
On money lodged for 1 month certain, at the rate of 2½ per cent. per annum.
On money lodged for 3 months certain, at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum.
On money lodged for 6 months certain, at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum.
On money lodged for 12 months certain, at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum.
No partial payment made on these receipts. Interest payable half yearly, and the principal not due until the expiry of the period for which the money is lodged.

DISCOUNTS AND ADVANCES.—Approved Bills discounted, and advances made upon Bills of Lading, (accompanied by Policies of Insurance,) for goods shipped to or from the Colonies.

DRAFTS AND LETTERS OF CREDIT issued on Great Britain and the Colonies, also on New York and San Francisco, and bills on these places purchased or sent for collection.

CREDITS issued on Great Britain, San Francisco and New York, authorizing payment for Goods shipped from those ports to the Colonies; all such shipments to be Insured and Hypothecated to the Bank.

GOVERNMENT and other SECURITIES received for safe custody, and 1 per cent. Commission charged on withdrawing the same. Interest and Dividends collected on account of constituents at the rate of one-half per cent on the amount collected, if payable in Victoria.

GOLD DUST AND BARS purchased, or advances made upon the same.

Office hours, 10 to 3. Saturdays, 10 to 1.
JAMES D. WALKER, Manager.
Victoria, September 12, 1862. ja13

Notice to Families.

FOR THE CONVENIENCE OF FAMILIES we have opened a Department in our

BRICK BUILDING,

Adjoining the Entrance to Cellars,

On Johnson street,

—FOR THE SALE OF—

WINES, SPIRITS,

And Malt Liquors, &c.

By the Bottle or Gallon.

THOS. PATRICK & CO.
Victoria, V. I., 24th Dec. 1863. ja24 1m

EGGS,

EGGS! EGGS!!

FRESH, 50 cts. per Dozen.

Just received by steamer Eliza Anderson and steamship Oregon.

FRESH CALIFORNIA EGGS, HAMS, Bacon, Lard and Butter. Also, a large quantity of Fruit (green and dried), Lemons and Limes, all of which the undersigned is selling off cheap during the Holidays.

Call and examine for yourselves before purchasing elsewhere.

All the above will be sold at wholesale or retail.
JOHN HARRIMAN.
Fort street, opposite Heal's Boarding House, between Douglas and Broad streets. ja24 1m

Spring Vale Sawmill,

BELMONT LAGOON.

ORDERS FOR BOARDS, PLANKS, or Scantling, of any kind are respectfully solicited, deliverable in Victoria Harbor or the neighborhood

Also, Spars suitable for the China market and Piles for Wharves, which will be delivered in Esquimalt Harbor at reasonable rates.

Application to be made to Mr. John Clapperton, at the Mill, or in town to Mr. William Cuverwell.
ja20

J. C. BROWN,

DEPUTY U. S. MARSHAL

And Notary Public.

18-1m PORT ANGELOS, W. T.

WANTS.

TENDERS WANTED.

FOR 50 CORDS WOOD AND 5000 TO 6000 RAILS, split and put up. Applications to be left at the office of this paper before SATURDAY next, addressed to
MR JACKSON,
ja21-1w Cedar Hill.

Information Wanted

OF BERNARD CARROL, WHO IS supposed to have gone over to Washington Territory about two years ago in a rather deranged state of mind. Any information concerning him will be thankfully received by the Rev. Bishop Demers. Oregon and W. T. papers please copy.
ja18

$15,000 Wanted.

THE ABOVE AMOUNT IN ONE OR more sums on first class security.
Apply to
N. C. MATTHIESSEN,
St. Nicholas Restaurant,
ja9 1m Government street.

WATCHES AND CHRONOMETERS

JEWELRY MADE TO ORDER. CLEANED AND REPAIRED.

WATCH & CLOCK MAKERS JEWELLERS

Yates Street, above Gov'mt.

WATCHES

—FROM THE BEST—

English, American, and German Factories,

HEAVILY CASED IN SAN FRANCISCO,

Including some fine heavy cased Ladies Watches.

SILVERWARE, of new and beautiful designs, warranted coin fine.

Diamond and Plain and Fancy fine Gold Jewelry of every description
ja18

The Royal

INSURANCE COMPANY,

—FOR—

FIRE AND LIFE INSURAN

CAPITAL, - Ten Million Dollars

HEAD OFFICES, Liverpool and London.

Chairman—CHARLES TURNER, Esq., M P.
Deputy Chairmen—RALPH BROCKLEBANK, Esq. and E. JOHNSTON, Esq.
Manager and Actuary—PERCY M. DOVE, Esq.

THE DIRECTORS HAVE APPOINTED the undersigned their agents for Vancouver Island and British Columbia, and will now receive proposals for Insurance, both in the Fire and Life Departments. They feel confident that the known standing and character of this office, the sound principles on which it is established, and the magnitude of its resources, will obtain for it a fair share of public patronage.

JAMES DICKSON, M. D., has been appointed Medical Examiner in the Life Branch.

ANDERSON & CO.,
WHARF STREET.
Victoria, 5 January, 1863. ja20

THE GREAT CURE

For all the diseases of the

LIVER STOMACH & BOWELS

Put up in Glass Phials, and warranted to

KEEP IN ANY CLIMATE.

These Pills are prepared expressly to operate in harmony with the greatest of blood purifiers, BRISTOL'S SARSAPARILLA, in all cases arising from depraved humors or impure blood. The most hopeless sufferers need not despair. Under the influence of these two GREAT REMEDIES, maladies that have heretofore been considered utterly incurable, disappear quickly and permanently. In the following diseases these Pills are the safest, the quickest, and the best remedy ever prepared, and should be at once resorted to.

Dyspepsia or Indigestion,
Liver Complaints,
Constipation,
Headache,
Dropsy,
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Office on Government street, lately occupied by Mr. Bishop, opposite Searby & Moore's.
Victoria, January 25th, 1864 ja28

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THE RIGHT MAN IN THE RIGHT PLACE.

The exhibition that the electors of Victoria witnessed yesterday on the hustings, will probably have but a very little influence on those who intend this day to record their votes for one or other of the candidates; but if any stragglers went to hear the political views of those who were severally nominated as fit and proper persons to represent them in parliament, they could hardly have arrived at any satisfactory conclusion but that Mr. Searby was the man to whom their vote should be given. Those who are against the introduction of an Alien bill, could hardly be well satisfied with the attempted explanation of Mr. Selim Franklin upon this point. What this gentleman's views have been, and what they now are upon this point, it is hard to say. But this much we can gather, from his speech on the hustings, that there is a very considerable amount of wavering and vacillation in his opinion. The man who has already expressed different views upon this subject, and who is not prepared with any sound argument in support of either one or the other, cannot be expected to be in any way firm in future.

Mr. Franklin is undoubtedly entitled to much respect from his fellow citizens and if they could rely upon his stability, we should not hesitate to say that they would in him have a very respectable member for the city. He speaks well enough to get out of all political difficulties, if words only would serve him. But the citizens of Victoria do not want a talking member. They want one who will vote decisively, and who will think before speaking, and who will work rather than speak at all. If the work of the House is to be got through with, we must have some men in it who will not shirk the onerous duty of serving upon committees. We want steady application to the practical business of legislation, rather than oratorical power and display, and the electors of Victoria will show by their votes recorded this day that they do not esteem words so much as deeds. Mr. Searby has enjoyed the confidence of the electors, and has ably fulfilled his duties as a member of the City Council. He boldly and openly expressed his views on the hustings previous to that election, and it has never been advanced by his opponents that he did not in every way act up to them. On the contrary, his opinions have been in every way borne out by his public acts, his views are well known, and are so fixed and decided that any deviation from them would most undoubtedly have been taken advantage of by his opponents. As it is we have not been able to discover the shadow of a foundation for one single charge that has been, or could be, brought against Mr. Searby which would disentitle him to the confidence of the electors. As for Mr. Welch's claims upon the people of Victoria for confidence, we can only regard them as "beneath contempt." We give the would-be senator every credit for fluency of speech, and if the sole object of political life were to please the ear of the rabble, then we would say to the electors—by all means choose Mr. Welch as your representative. In his attempt at the nomination yesterday, to give a contradiction to the imputation, which has gained considerable ground, that he came forward with the sole purpose of dividing the liberal interest, Mr. Welch lapsed into some remarks respecting his opponent Mr. Franklin which were totally unfitted even for the hustings; doubtless they were meant simply for a display of wit, and were given utterance to with the sole view of tickling the ears of the mob, when this gentleman is a little older we trust he may become wiser; and as his wisdom increases he can well afford to lose some of his fluency of speech. Much remains to be done by the liberal electors of Victoria this day. They must show, and that by a decisive and powerful vote, that they want no division of interest; that they have no confidence in wavering politicians and vacillating legislators however tried and well known their uncertain principles may be. One thing is certain: if the electors desire to have a true representative in the House of Assembly, they must send into that House one who has never been led or influenced by one party or the other inside, and who has never expresed two opinions upon any main question outside. The result of this day's poll is entirely in the hands of the liberal party if they are true to themselves, and energetic in their tactics, they will return their candidate with a triumphant majority.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A FUTILE ATTEMPT
To Damage Mr. Searby

THE following notice having been served on Mr. Searby on behalf of Mr. Welch, requiring him (Mr. Searby) to make oath as to his qualification, I am happy to say that Mr. Searby is duly qualified and will be prepared to depose thereto.

(Signed) RICHARD LEWIS,
ja28 Chairman of Searby's Committee.

NOTICE.

To MR. W. M. SEARBY, Esq., Government street:

SIR:—YOU ARE CALLED UPON TO TAKE (previous to the opening of the Poll to-morrow), the oath of qualification, as prescribed in Section 9 of the Franchise Act 1859, viz., that you are possessed in your own right of real property in this colony for an estate of freehold to the value of £300 for three months previous to the day of election.
Dated the 27th day of January, A. D. 1864.
R. LAYZELL, duly qualified voter.
ja28 JAMES THORNE, " "

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Ex "Napoleon III"
And "Lockett."

SHEET IRON, Common; Ditto R. G. Ditto Russian, } Nos. 18 to 27.
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OILMAN'S STORES;
BRUSHES--Hair, Tooth and Nail:
BROOMS;
STATIONERY;
GLASSWARE;
CUTTY AND FANCY PIPES.
FELLOWS & ROSCOE,
ja23 Wharf street.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE FIRM OF KAVANAH, HUNTER & CO., coal and lumber Merchants of Victoria, has this day been dissolved. All claims against the estate must be sent in before the 10th of February next, and all persons indebted to the firm are requested to settle their accounts immediately.
J. HUNTER,
D. KAVANAH.

New Goods ex "Princess Royal,"

THE HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY

Offer for sale the Cargo of the above ship, just arrived from London, consisting in part as follows:

Clothing, Dry Goods, Millinery, &c.

Suits—Men's Light Fancy Tweed; Soft, Warm Scotch Tweed and Heavy Fancy Doe.
Youths' and Boys' Heavy Tweed do.

Coats—Men's Fancy Doe and Tweed; Diagonal Tweed, Ribbed Pilot Sac, American Reversible; Black Cloth Morning; Black Cloth and Grey Melton Walking Frock; Fancy Witney; Fancy Coating, and Blue Pilot Cloth Egerton Over.
Youths' and Boys' Heavy Tweed do.

Trowsers—Men's Superfine Blue and Black; Fine Black Cloth; Fancy Check; Diagonal Tweed; Fancy Doe & Tweed; Moleskin, Corduroy, Bedford and Woolen Cord.
Youths' and Boys' Heavy Tweed do.

Vests—Men's Superfine Black and Blue Cloth Single and Double Breast; Heavy Tweed and Doe Sporting; Black Cloth Sporting and Cardigan.

Caps—Men's Blue Cloth Forage, Navy and Black Cloth Military.

Shirts—Men's Fancy Baltic, with and without Collars; Blue and Scarlet Serge; White Linen and Fancy Regatta; White, Fawn and Dahlia Striped Merino; White, Grey and Scarlet Lambswool Under.

Drawers—Men's White, Fawn and Dahlia Striped Merino; White and Grey Lambswool; Scarlet Flannel and Unbleached Cotton.

Bonnets—Men's and Boys' Blue Glengarry and Balmoral.

Hats—Men's Assorted Felt, latest style.

COMFORTERS—Men's Fancy Colored and Scarlet Worsted.

GLOVES—Men's Black, White and Colored Kid; Drab and Fawn Norway, Habits, White Doe Gauntlets; Black, White and Colored Kid.

CRAVATS—Men's Black and Fancy Colored Silk, and 7-8 Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs.

BLANKETS—2½, 3, 3½ and 4-point White B. B., 4-point White Rose and Green; 2½ and 3-point Blue, Scarlet and Green.

CLOTH—Superfine Black and Blue, Fine Blue, Fine Scarlet and Pilot.

CARPETS—Tapestry, Kidderminster, Venetian, Dutch and Stair.

OSNABURG—27 in. and 42 in. Hessians.

RUGS—Axminster, Velvet and Haut Laine.

STROUDS—H. B. Blue, Green, Scarlet and White.

TENTS—Best Sheeting, assorted sizes.

FLANNEL—7-8 Real Welch, Superfine White, Fine White, Blue, Green, Scarlet, Red and Yellow and Fancy Baltic.

DIAPER—8-4 Table and 7-8 Linen Loom and Bleached Huckabuck.

SHEETING—Bleached Linen and Cotton, 72 to 90 in.

HOLLAND—4-4 Brown, Irish, Mantle and Dressed Linen.

QUILTS—White Marseilles, 8-4 to 12-4.

COTTON—26 and 36 in. Grey, 7-8 and 9-8 Printed and Mourning, 7-8 Navy Blue, Regatta and Bleached Shirting.

HASSOCKS—An assortment Linen Table Napkins and Huckaback Towels.

COVERS—White Toilet and Colored Damask.

CLOTHS—White Damask Table, 8 4 to 10-12.

MATTRASSES—Best Hair.

MERINO—French, assorted Colors; Striped and Check Winsey, Delaine, Cassinett, Gala Plaid, 6-4 All Wool Tartan and Blue Druggets.

SKIRTS—Ladies' Balmoral; Woollen Tartan Shawls, Moreen & Colored Damask.

POPLIN—Irish; Black and Blue, Silk Velvet, Colored Cotton Velvet, Bonnet and Velvet Ribbon.

DRESSES—Ladies' Barege, Flounced Cambric, Printed Muslin and Delaine.

LUSTRE—Norwich; Ladies' Fashionable Head Dresses; Hair Nets; Infants' Robes; Children's Hoods; Corsets; Cambric Flouncing; Berlin Wool and Worsted.

PARASOLS—Ladies' Silk, Black Silk, Lace, Maltese and Chantilly Falls.

MUSLIN—5-4 Book, Jaconet and Mull, and assorted colors Lenos.

LACE—Black and White Thread, Valenciennes Edging, and Black and White Silk Elastic.

THREAD—Colored and Black Sewing Silk, Black and Colored Linen, No. 10 to 40.

HATS—Ladies' Fashionable Trimmed Felt and Straw.
Girls' do do do

HOSIERY—Men's Woollen, Worsted and Cotton Hose and Half Hose, a large assortment; Ladies' White Cotton, Merino and Woollen do; Girl's do. do. do; Children's Merino and Cotton Half Hose.

Provisions & Oilman's Stores, &c.

TEA—Hyson, Twankay and Congou.
Capers, in half-pint bottles.
Currie Powder, do do.
Durham Mustard, in 1 and ½-lb tins.
Black Pepper, ground, in ½-lb tins.

SAUCE—Lea & Perrin's Worcestershire, in ½ pint bottles.
Sauces, assorted, in ½ pint bottles.
Florence Oil, in Flasks.
Ground Chickory, in 28 lb tins.
English Chocolate and assorted Spices.

RAISINS—Muscatel, Bloom and Sultana.

CURRANTS—Patras, in 14 lb tins.

CANDLES—Price's Belmont, Stearine, and best English Sperm.

BARLEY—Pearl, Patent Groats, and best Malt Vinegar.

JAMS & JELLIES—1 lb Jars, assorted; and Orange Marmalade.

PEEL—Candied Citron, Lemon & Orange.

Wines, Liquors, &c,

BRANDY—Dark and Pale, in qr casks.
RUM—In puncheons.
OLD TOM—Swain Boord, in case and cask.
PORT—Superior Old, in pipes and qr casks.
SHERRY—Superior and ordinary, do.
ALE—Allsopp's, in pints and quarts.
PORTER—Byass', do do.
Do. Hoares & Co., in hhds.

Hardware, Metals, &c

IRON—Round, Flat, Square and Sheet.
STEEL—Octagon, Square and Spring.
Tinman's Solder;
Brass, Speltre;
Covered Tin Kettles, in nests;
Covered Milk Pans, in nests.
Oval and Round do, in nests;
Tin Camp Plates;
Japan'd Tin Dust Pans;

SAWS—Spear & Jackson, Cross-Cut, Pit, Hand and Panel.

FILES—A large assortment.
Knives and Forks, Ivory and Fine Buckhandle Table, Dessert and Carvers 3, 4 and 5-prong Garden Forks.

ANVILS—Assorted sizes; Blacksmith's Bellows, Horse and Mule Shoes, Horse Shoe Nails, Beaver Trap Chains, Tin'd and Enamelled Iron Saucepans, Cullenders, Corkscrews, Albata Plated Table and Dessert Forks, Albata Plated Table, Dessert and Tea Spoons, Bradawls, Fire Irons; Hooks—Trout and Cod; Octagonal Stable Lanterns, B. T. Tea Pots, Wood Screws, Brass and Iron; Metal and Mahogany Frame Looking Glasses, Riddles, Garden Spades and Tinman's Tools.

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CLEAVER'S Old Brown Windsor Soap, in 14 lb boxes; Rowland's Odonto, Rowland's Macasser Oil, Eau de Cologne, Toilet Vinegar, Lavender Water, &c.

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Chariot and Cob Harness, &c.

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SOAP—Best Yellow, Mottled and Soft.
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MATS—Fancy Cocoa and Border Brush.
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Do do Military do.
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Engagement of Miss Fanny Morgan.

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The performance will commence with the Drama entitled

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Meg.......................MISS FANNY MORGAN
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Kate O'Brien (with song) MISS FANNY MORGAN
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IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice, V. I.

The 27th day of January, A. D. 1864.

WHEREAS, A PETITION FOR ADjudication in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 27th day of January, 1864, hath been duly filed against Matthias Frederick Monet and Henry Sanford Morris, of Government street, traders, and they having been declared bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to David Cameron, Esq., Chief Justice of the Court of Bankruptcy, on WEDNESDAY, the 3d day of February next, A. D. 1864, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court House, James' Bay, Victoria, and make a full discovery and disclosure of their estate and effects, when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts and at the first sitting to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees and commence the examination of the Bankrupts. All persons indebted to the said Bankrupts or that have any of their effects, are not to pay or deliver the same to any person but to Mr. WILLIAM CULVERWELL, of 63 Government street, the Official Assignee whom the Chief Justice has appointed, and give notice to ROBERT BISHOP, Solicitor, Reid's Block, Victoria.
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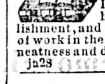

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Being Sections 44, 45 and 46 of the Lake District, and containing about 300 Acres, all fenced in.
This Farm abuts on the Lake having a water frontage of nearly three quarters of a mile. About 100 Acres are clear land, 25 of which are under the plough, besides two Acres of Orchard and Garden Ground, good Laborer's Cottage, Poultry House, &c., on the premises.
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One half of the Purchase Money may remain on Mortgage for six and twelve months.
Immediate possession given and title guaranteed.
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THE UNDERSIGNED IS CONSTANTly receiving direct from the Importers, choice selections of
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Families supplied in quantities to suit for a small advance over cost.
N. B.—Neat and comfortably Furnished Rooms (with Fire-place in each), for Families and single gentlemen. Terms moderate.
T. H. McCANN, Proprietor.
Victoria, V. I., 31st December, 1863. de31 2p

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☞ Horse and Cattle Sales on Saturday.
A large paddock kept for the accommodation of stock sent for sale.
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Cash advanced on consignments of Merchandise stock etc dell

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LAST EVENING, IN OR ABOUT THE Theatre, A SOLATAIRE DIAMOND RING. Any person having found it will be liberally rewarded by leaving it at the Box Office for Miss

TO LET!
THE PROPERTY KNOWN AS
The Orleans House,
On Cormorant street, near Store street.

This house has been established as a Boarding House for the past six years. The proprietor is retiring from business, and will dispose of the Furniture and good-will of the business on reasonable terms to a cash customer.
Apply to the proprietor THOMAS GLEED,
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ARE REQUIRED FOR 280 TONS Shingle or other Ballast, to be put on board the Ship NAPOLEON III, lying alongside the Hudson Bay Company's Wharf.
Application to be made to the Captain, on board, or to
HENDERSON & BURNABY, Wharf street.
Victoria, 26th January, 1864. ja27

FOR SALE,

ONE HALF LOT on Cormorant street, between Government and Store streets.
LOTS 891 and 892 facing James Bay and near the Government Buildings.
A SPLENDID HOTEL in first rate order (on account of the illness of the proprietor.)
Apply to MR. COPLAND,
ja27 1w Langley street.

NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE BUTE INLET WAGON ROAD CO., (Limited.)

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders in the above Company will take place on MONDAY, the 1st February, at one o'clock, at which will be brought forward the questions postponed to-day, of raising funds to finish the work, or of winding up the affairs of the Company.
AUG. R. GREEN, Secretary.
Victoria, January 25th, 1864. ja26 1w

Queen Charlotte Mining Company, (Limited.)

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT.

UNDER AUTHORITY CONFERRED by Resolution of General Meeting held 14th instant, The Board of Directors have this day laid an Assessment of ($5,00) Five Dollars per Share, payable to the Secretary in 14 days from this date at the office of the Company.
By order,
ROBERT GEORGE, Secretary.
Victoria, January 22d, 1864. ja23

Sangster Island Mining Company, (Limited)---Notice of Call.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a Meeting of the Board of Directors of the above Company, held on the 22nd instant, a Call of Fifty Cents per Share, payable at the office of the Company Ten Days from date, was made.
By order,
GEORGE BARNETT, Secretary.
N. B.—Certificates of Stock will be issued to Shareholders on application.
Victoria, V. I., January 22d, 1864. ja23 2w

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SPICES

ARE ALL GENUINE AND CONSequently much stronger than the adulterated article imported to this colony.
MINERS & FAMILIES who study economy will protect themselves from fraud by asking only for such as bear the name of their firm, and which can be had from all respectable dealers.
FELL & COMPANY,
Coffee and Spice Merchants
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AUCTION.

THIS DAY,
Thursday, Jan. 28th,
At 11 o'clock, A. M.,
J. A. McCREA
WILL SELL
AT SALESROOM, WHARF STREET,
EX "NAPOLEON III,"
PIANOS.

One superior Cottage Piano in fine Rosewood Case, made by Collard & Collard;
One do do made by Gordon

—ALSO—

HARMONIUM,

One French Cottage Harmonium, five Octave;

—ALSO—

MELODEON,

One Prince's superior four Octave Melodeon, in fine Rosewood Case;

—ALSO—

Ex Bark "W. A. Banks,"

10 cases New California Cheese;
10 bales Straw Paper;
20 kegs Choice Isthmus Butter;
16 " Cooking Butter;
20 gunnies Salt, in 5-lb bags;
1 case Choice California Bacon;
1 " " " Hams;
20 cases J. & H. Lard, 10-lb tins;
10 kegs Dried Apples;
100 mats China Rice;
100 boxes Hiatt & Wood's Candles;
20 bags Rio Coffee;
20 chests Challenge Tea. ja26

—ALSO—

For acct. of whom it may Concern.

Ex Napoleon III.

S in dia. over L C J
20 to 27---8 hf chests Souchong Tea,
28 to 35---8 hf chests Congou Tea,
36 to 39---4 boxes Caper Tea.

—ALSO IN ORDER—

15 packages Japan Tea, in 1-lb. canisters,
" Imperial Gunpower Tea, in 1-lb. canisters.
ja27

—ALSO—

50 boxes Apples;

—ALSO—

Iron Bedsteads,

Two cases, 4 each, Superior large Double Iron Bedsteads, beautifully Painted;

—ALSO—

DOOR MATS,

Plain and fancy Cocoa Door Mats;

—ALSO—

Iron Foot Scrapers;

—ALSO—

--- Boxes Bst Brand Virginia Tobacco. ja28

Now Landing
Ex Bark N. S. Perkins
FROM HONOLULU.

SUGAR IN KEGS, NO. 1;
Do Crushed Do;
KONA COFFEE;
SYRUP, in 5 and 8-gall kegs;
MOLASSES;
For sale by
ja25 1m LOWE BROTHERS.

Expedition to Sangster Island---Notice.

THE SANGSTER ISLAND MINING Company, limited, being about to Charter the Hudson Bay Co's steamer Otter to proceed to their Mines on Sangster Island, all Contractors, Miners, and others who may wish to view the ground with the intention of putting in Tenders to work the same, are requested to call and leave their names at the office of the Company before 2 o'clock This day, as a free passage up and down will be granted to a certain number.
All Shareholders who are desirous of going up in the Otter, are also requested to leave their names at the office, when Tickets for passage will be issued to them.
For further particulars apply at the office on Government street, to
GEORGE BARNETT,
Broker and Land Agent.
N. B.—The steamer will call at Nanaimo on the trip. For passage, apply to the Captain on board.
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A Rare Opportunity!

TO BE LET OR SOLD
(With or without the Land) the
International Hotel,
YATES STREET;
Apply to the Proprietor, THOMAS CHADWICK
de28 1m 2dp

Cowichan Copper Mining Company.

NOTICE OF CALL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a meeting of the Directors of the above Company held on TUESDAY, the 5th instant, a Call of Twenty Dollars per Share was unanimously made. All shares on which the said assessment shall not have been paid to the Secretary thirty days from date will be declared forfeited and sold in a summary way for the benefit of the Company, at the discretion of the Directors.
By order,
GEORGE BARNETT, Secretary.
Victoria, January 6th, 1864. ja7

ELECTION NOTICES.

TO THE ELECTORS
—OF—
The City of Victoria.

GENTLEMEN,—At the request of a large and influential portion of my fellow citizens, I beg to offer myself as a Candidate for the seat rendered vacant by the retirement of one of your representatives in the Legislative Assembly.

While feeling deeply the difficulty of adequately representing the interests of this young and rising city at so important a period in our history as the present, and the great responsibility that rests upon those who undertake so great and onerous a task, I entertain the belief that the absolute identity of my own prospects in life with those of our city and colony will go far to guide me in legislating for our general welfare.

Among the elements that have conduced to our present prosperity and that are best calculated to make us a great commercial people, I regard our Free Port and Free Trade as occupying a most prominent part.

The Improvement of Victoria Harbor, the establishment of Direct Communication with Panama by means of a line of British steamers, and better and more liberal Postal Arrangements with the Settlements, I regard as intimately connected with our future prosperity.

I shall advocate the transfer of the Crown Lands to the colony, but am not prepared as a condition of that transfer to vote the entire and very heavy Civil List enumerated in one of the published dispatches of the Duke of Newcastle.

The diffusion of correct information in Great Britain and the Colonies as to our resources and requirements, and the offering of Free Grants of Land to actual settlers I believe to be highly desirable.

I shall give my warmest support to any general and well digested system of Common School Education, irrespective of creed, color or nationality.

I shall, if not forestalled, introduce a new Act of Incorporation for this city [on] a totally different basis from that on which the present Act is founded], giving ample powers to the Council, but having those powers very clearly defined. I shall also advocate the transfer of Public Lands within the Municipality to the control of the Corporation.

I consider that the power to originate money bills should rest with the House of Assembly.

Laws for Exempting Firemen from all Jury Duty, for protecting operatives from defaulting contractors and for facilitating the Collection of Small Debts, will all have my cordial support.

There are many other matters of great moment on which I shall shortly have an opportunity of addressing you Having already served you for fifteen months as a member of the City Council, my past conduct is before you, and I can confidently point to that as a guarantee of my independent course as a public man. Should you consider me fitted to fill the position to which I aspire, I shall endeavor to promote our common interests and to merit your pure and continued approbation.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
W. M. SEARBY
Victoria, V. I., January 15th, 1864. ja1

TO THE ELECTORS
—OF—
The City of Victoria.

GENTLEMEN,—In accordance with a pledge given by me at the last general election, I again present myself before you as a Candidate for your suffrages. On the last occasion I withdrew from the field contrary to the wishes of many of the electors; but from the earnest desire to benefit the liberal party whose principles I profess. My views as then placed before you, remain unaltered. I was then and still remain a staunch advocate of all liberal measures, and a strenuous opponent of all Government and other jobbery. I have settled in this Colony with my family with the intention of making it my future home. I have invested largely and am consequently largely interested in its future prosperity. I am perfectly independant of either party or sect, and should you honor me by returning me as one of your members, my endeavors will be directed to the obtaining of a more equal and just system of taxation, to the defence of the freedom of the Port of Victoria in all its integrity, to the establishment (on just terms) of Direct Mail Communication with the Mother Country, to the opening up of Roads throughout the Island, and to the due encouragement of all enterprises calculated to develop its Mineral and other resources. Upon the general interests of the constituents alone I take my stand. I shall not canvass at all, and should it be your opinion that a better man presents himself, I shall not offer any factious opposition, and I hereby challenge my opponents, whoever they may be to call a public meeting either at the Theatre or elsewhere, where we may have an opportunity of expounding our views, and then may the best man win.

Your faithful servant,
A. J. WELCH.
Quebec St., James' Bay, Friday evening.

To the Electors
—OF—
The City of Victoria

GENTLEMEN, — A vacancy having occurred in your representation in the Legislative Assembly, I beg to offer myself as a Candidate for your suffrages.

As I have had the honor before of representing you for three years, and as I then endeavored to perform my duties faithfully, for which I unhesitatingly refer to the records of the House and not to the reports of the day, I will simply state if now elected by you I shall endeavor again to do my duty.

You and all of us are deeply interested in the prosperity of our colony; my legislative efforts shall be earnestly directed to its promotion in every possible manner.

Our Free Port system gives importance to our commerce and attracts capital into the country, which is so greatly needed for the development of its valuable resources, you may rely that I shall oppose any attempt that may be made for political or other purposes to undermine or destroy it.

I shall support the enactment of liberal Mining Laws in order to encourage the working of our Mines and the active employment of labor.

I shall support a new Act of Incorporation for the City of Victoria and uphold the Mayor and Council and those acting under them in their official proceedings.

A liberal School System, the making of Roads, the affording of mail facilities, the establishment of Harbor and Coast Defences, and a due regard of the expenditure of the country shall have my most careful attention and consideration.

The advantages of Female Immigration, in changing the roving character of our population, and in creating many a cheerful and happy home is an element worthy of the greatest consideration in the settlement of the country. I shall ask the substantial co-operation of the Government to carry out this view.

In conclusion I will add, if returned by you, I shall act irrespective of any party, seeking only to carry out such measures as I conceive to be the best for the interest of the country.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
(Signed) SELIM FRANKLIN.
Victoria Jan. 14th, 1864.

City of Victoria Election

COMMITTEE

FOR CONDUCTING THE ELECtion of Mr. SELIM FRANKLIN:

James Lowe,	D. Babington Ring,
Edward Green,	George Barnett,
Dr. James Dickson,	T. L. Stahlschmidt,
B. P. Griffin,	J. P. Davies,
George Blenkinsop,	J. Robertson Stewart,
W. Hick,	John Castineau,
William B. Smith,	J. J. Cochrane,
Abraham Belasco,	E. B. Earles,
J. Nagle,	Horatio Varicas,
Edward Stephens,	A. F. Main,
T. Smith Allatt,	J. Passmore,
George Harrison,	Edward Willson,
C. B. Young,	R. J. McDonnell,
Dr. Tolmie,	David Lenevue,
Alexander Phillips,	Thomas Byrne,
Henry Doncaster,	John Coles,
G. E. Dennes,	John G. McKay,
G. M. Sproat,	J. Makin.
	Dr. Davie.

With power to add to their number.
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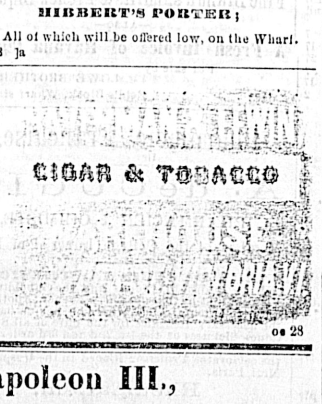

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On Friday, Jan. 29th,
At 11 o'clock, on the Premises,
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VIEW STREET.
The very Elegant Furniture,
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DRAWING ROOM—Elegant Silk Brocatelle Rosewood, Drawing Room Sett;
Rosewood Centre Table, Marble Top;
Do Corner Sideboard;
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Pictures, Mantle Ornaments;
Brussels Tapestry Carpet;
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Lace Curtains;
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Attagier and Books;
DINING ROOM—Extension Dining Table (Walnut);
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Glass and China Ware, &c.;
BED CHAMBER—Magnificent Rosewood Sett, French Bedstead with Canopy, Spring Mattress and Bedding;
Bureau, Marble Top, with Glass;
Washstand do, with Furniture;
Elegant Solid Mahogany Wardrobe, Plate Glass Door;
Lounge, Chairs, Carpet, Curtains, &c., &c.;
BED ROOMS—Centre Table, Bureaux, Chairs, Oval Frame Mirror;
Double and Single Bedsteads, Bedding;
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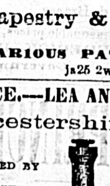

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THE BRITISH COLONIST

Thursday Morning, January 28, 1864

COMMERCIAL.

Auction Sales this Day.

J. A. McCREA will sell at 11 o'clock a. m., at salesroom, ex Napoleon III, Pianos, 1 Harmonium, 1 Melodeon, and a large quantity of Teas. Also ex bark W. A. Banks, California Cheese, Isthmus and Cooking Butter, Salt, Bacon, Ham, Lard, Rice, Candles, Coffee, etc., etc.

BROUGHT INTO PORT.--The H. B. Co's ship Princess Royal was towed into port yesterday and laid alongside the Company's Wharf.

FOR NANAIMO.--The bark Florida, Arthur, put in at Esquimalt yesterday morning, en route for Nanaimo, to load with coal for San Francisco.

FROM NANAIMO.--The schooner Discovery, Rudlin, arrived yesterday with a cargo of coal from Nanaimo.

FROM HONOLULU.—Messrs. Janion, Green & Rhodes' fine new steel schooner Domatila, Capt. Griffiths, arrived yesterday morning in 20 days from Honolulu, with a cargo of S. I. produce, to owner's. The Domatila sighted the Cape Flattery light in 15 days, and was 5 days in the Straits. She brings Honolulu dates to January 2d, but nothing of importance.

SHIPWRECK.--The A 1 clipper ship Asterion, 1,125 tons, Hurd, master, with guano from Howland's Island, was totally lost on a reef to the N. E. of Baker's Island, on the 24th of September last. Her crew and some part of the stores were saved. On Nov. 19th the chief officer and 6 men left in a whaleboat for Howland's Island, to obtain succor, but have not since been heard of. Captain Hurd and 17 men arrived in Honolulu on the 25th Dec.

STOCK AND EXCHANGE BOARD.

VICTORIA, 27th Jan , 1864.

Sansum, 10 shares sold at $1 75.
Sangster, 100 shares, sold at 75 cents, regular way.
Saugster, 50 shares, sold at 70 cents, regular way.

OFFERS.

Quen Charlotte $50 asked. 45 offered, regular way.
Skidegate. $55 asked, 45 offered, buyer 30 days.
Eureka, $60 asked, 35 offered, buyer 30 days.
Sooke, $8 asked, 6½ offered.
Hope, $25 offered, 30 days.
Gold Harbor, 50 asked.
Souque Creek, $25 asked.
Muir Quartz, $3 50 asked.
Cowichan, $15 premium asked.
Parmeter, $3 asked.
Britannia, $2 asked.

By order,

A. F. MAIN, Secretary.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS

—FOR THE—

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 23d JANUARY, 1864.

DAYS.	TEMP. OF AIR. Max.	Min.	Mean.	BAROMETER. Max.	Min.	Mean	WIND. Direction.	Force	WTHR:
Sunday..	45 2	39 3	43 22	30 025	29 705	29 922	NNE to NE	2-3-2	bcaoc
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Tuesday.	49 6	41 5	46 32	30 000	29 725	29 868	NE to SbyE	1-3-5	ocraorarc
Wedn'sy.	47 9	41 7	43 73	30 135	29 840	29 933	SE to SSW	4-6-2	bcabcabc
Thursday	43 8	36 1	40 28	29 975	29 645	29 800	N NE to NE	1-2-0	ocaocrac
Friday..	40 4	34 2	42 91	30 130	29 910	30 012	S to E	4-1-2	bc,o
Saturday	46 8	39 8	45 41	29 975	29 920	29 940	ENE to SSE	2-3-2	orcoerac

Minimum temperature during week..........34.2

Victoria Observatory, V. I. DAVID WALKER, M. D.

CONSIGNEES.

Per schooner DOMATILA, from Honolulu--Janion, Green & Rhodes, Anderson & Co., Hudson Bay Co, Lowe Bros , F Weisenburger.

IMPORTS.

Per schooner DOMATILA, from Honolulu--2,015 kegs sugar, 117 bags coffee, 300 bbls molasses, 296 bags salt, 29 bxs brandy, 30 bales pulu, 275 empty kegs, 4 anchors, 3 cables, 1 chain, 25 cs sugar, 16 do matches. Value, $20,000

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

ENTERED.

Jan. 27--Bark Florida, Arthur, San Francisco
Scor Domatila, Spencer, Honolulu
Schr Discovery, Rudlin, Nanaimo

CLEARED.

Jan. 27--Bark Florida, Arthur, San Francisco via Nanaimo
Stmr Eliza Anderson, Finch, Port Angelos
Schr Winged Racer, Peterson, Port Angelos
Bark W A Banks, Newell, Port Angelos
Schr Gen. Harney, Oberg, Port Angelos.

The Mayor's Charity.

Our worthy and popular Mayor has frequently of late been assailed in a most unjustifiable manner by our cotemporary, but the unwarrantable onslaught upon that gentleman contained in its leader column of yesterday far exceeds in malignity and extreme bad taste anything which it has heretofore published. We heard nothing yesterday on all sides but expressions of unqualified indignation and disgust at this most uncalled for and unwarrantable attack. Mr. Harris' friends are legion, and the firm and independent stand which he has taken in the late complications to which he has been officially subjected has tended to raise him still higher in public estimation with the intelligent and right thinking portion of the community. If Mr. Harris, during the last few months of his mayoralty, voluntarily chooses to expend a certain sum for the benefit of the city in which he has achieved his prosperity, it certainly is out of place in any public journal to impugn his motives, still less to resent the mayor's good intentions by gratuitously stating that which is not the case.

THEATRE.—Last night was one of the merriest which has been enjoyed in the theatre for many a day. The performance began with the "Maid of Croissy," followed by "Grist to the Mill," in which the chief characters were sustained by Miss Fanny Morgan and Mr. A. R. Phelps. Fanny, as the gay and charming widow, was positively bewitching, and wheedled the old Marquis (Phelps) and every body the came in contact with, in the most laughable manner. In the final drama "Ireland as it is," she took the warm-hearted rollicking peasant girl to perfection, and the Irish jig danced by her with Myers as Ragged Pat, was the best thing of the kind we have seen this season, and received a most enthusiastic *encore*. To-night the "Willow Copse" will be repeated, followed by the "Maid of Munster," in which Fanny as Kate O'Brien will have another opportunity of exhibiting her thorough appreciation of the Irish character.

VOTE EARLY!—Let every one of Mr. Searby's friends go to the poll at the earliest possible moment. One vote in the morning is worth two in the afternoon. Let every liberal man, every true friend of progress, go to the polling stand with a firm determination to place Mr. Searby at the head of the poll. An early and strong rally will give him such a majority as will decide the fortunes of the day.

FREE TRADE IN BANKING.—It appears that the remarks of Dr. Tolmie in favor of ree trade in banking, with proper restrictions, although perfectly understood in the House, have been rather misconstrued outside. In justice to the hon. gentleman, we must state that he has throughout the debate on the Bank Note Bill, advocated free competition in banking, with proper safeguards for the protection of the public.

ANNUAL GOLD SHIPMENT.—In the year 1863 the Pacific Mail Steamship Co.'s steamers carried away from San Francisco in treasure the sum of $41,569,783 67, of which $31,000,000 went to England, and $10,500,000 to New-York. This shipment to England was to avoid the war risk.

RESIGNED.—It is generally understood that Mr. Welch has intimated his intention to withdraw from the contest without coming to a vote. Mr. Franklin is also sure to resign—at the close of the poll.

A CRUEL JOKE.—The show of hands in favor of Mr. Welch yesterday.

THE NOMINATION.

The nomination of a candidate to fill the vacant seat in the House of Assembly, took place yesterday in the open space near Marvin's hardware store, on Fort street, and drew together one of the largest attendances of electors which we have yet seen collected in Victoria. Fortunately the day was bright and clear, though the air was too cold to allow reporters to do their work with facility. The Sheriff, having read the writ and disposed of the necessary preliminaries, called upon the electors to propose a candidate:

Mr. Gilbert M. Sproat stepped forward and proposed Mr. Selim Franklin, as a fit and proper person.

Mr. Thos. Dougall—I second him. [Laughter.]

Dr. Powell proposed William Martin Searby, as a man who had been tried and not found wanting.

Mr. W. E. Stronach seconded, and strongly urged upon the electors the claims of Mr. Searby to their suffrages. He put forward cogent reasons why they should not support Mr. Franklin, and as for Mr. Welch, he thought it needless to refer to his chances of success, as he had none. [Laughter.]

Mr. W. E. Cooper, after passing a compliment u on the late member, Mr. Ridge, proposed Mr. Alfred James Welch.

Mr. Layzell seconded the nomination. He referred to Mr. Franklin as a pioneer of '58 with himself. His (Mr. F.'s) acts were known to all, and he would say nothing about him one way or the other. He then proceeded to scrutinize Mr. Searby's acts in the Council, and said he had no voice of his own; he had been led by the nose. [Hisses, mingled with groans and applause.] Mr. Layzell went on to criticize the various acts to which Mr. Searby had been a party in the Council, and concluded by urging the claims of Mr. Welch to the seat.

No other candidates having been proposed Mr. Franklin addressed the electors as follows:

Fellow citizens and electors, I am too happy and proud to meet my fellow citizens on this occasion. I have been with you a long time and have nothing to desire but to promote the good of the country and your good. I won't make a long speech, you know me well. (a voice, too well.) I have been misrepresented with reference to my personal, not public character, and I wish to have those aspersions put to rights; I am not a politician, only a fellow colonist with yourselves. I am charged with having spoken one way in the House and voted in another. I would say there were two occasions on which I did so. I was petitioned against by Mr. DeCosmos for being returned by illegal votes. I went to the poll and obtained votes which I did not solicit. It was shown on investigation that I had a majority without, of British subjects. (No, and hear.) Mr. De Cosmos, the hon. member for this city, then the editor of the COLONIST, was brought to the bar of the House for breach of privilege, and I went outside of the bar not wishing to vote on the question as to whether he should be brought up or not. I think you can appreciate my conduct. [hear, hear.] On the other occasion I had proposed to borrow money for colonial purposes at 6 per cent., when it was proposed to pay 7 per cent. for the money, I felt disgusted and declined to vote. Mr. Franklin then proceeded to advocate the free port system. He alluded to the part he had taken in the House with reference to the harbor improvements, and spoke of the projected telegraph, mail communication with Panama, a new incorporation bill—he had always opposed the old corporation bill, but he would uphold the mayor and Council; he looked upon them as good honest men, and he would say it, although some of them were opposed to him in this political contest (hear). He next considered loans and taxation, and expressed himself as opposed to extravagant taxes being imposed on the inhabitants for the benefit of those who come hereafter (hear). He was in favor of loans being effected for public improvements, and by paying only the colonial interest, in 20 years the debt might be paid and the improvements effected. Education was alluded to, and the union of the colonies was also touched upon, to which he was opposed. We had our own form of government and they had theirs; we each had our form of taxation, and we could flourish very well without them, and he did not see why we should sink into their state of semi-barbarism. (Oh!) Defences.—Mr. Franklin took a large view of this subject. This is a small and remote colony, but is of immense military and naval importance to the home government. In the time of William Pitt this colony cost Great Britain £3,000,000 for the preservation of Nootka Sound from the hands of Spain, but he was sorry that the present British Government, for the sake of a few paltry pounds, had totally neglected this country. Alien question—He now came to the all-important Alien question. (A voice—Ah, that's it; let's hear about that) He was waited upon by some aliens to know whether he would support the Alien clause in the House. He stated his views at the time, that none but British-born subjects should ever legislate for us. [Cries of hear, bravo, dry up, etc.] When it came to the election, what took place? The question was presented and he went in and said he would support an Alien Bill allowing aliens to sit in the House after a term of years, if it was desired; but he had been always opposed to it. At the same time he thought the rights of all should be respected. At the last election he found the whole country in favor of an Alien Bill, and he had supported it; but now he found that a certain element had been made use of injuriously against the country to force upon British subjects the way they were to vote. He was prepared to stand or fall [a voice—to fall] upon this question. Britons never shall be slaves. [Groans and uproar.]

A voice—Go on with female immigration. [Laughter].

Mr. Franklin—That's what I'm coming to. He said he had advocated the introduction of capital, but female immigration was more potent and beneficial even than capital, as it would introduce all social comforts.

A voice—Will you take one of the first batch? [Great laughter.]

Mr. F.—No, I don't want to do that.

Mr. Franklin concluded by avowing himself an Independent candidate, ready to support good measures, from whatever source they emanated, and to oppose bad ones whether originated by the government or individual members.

Daniel Scott—Are you in favor of a paid lecturer in England?

Ans—I am.

Mr. Fell and others—Will you be prepared to support a thorough examination into Crown Lands, and an inquiry into the way in which they have been disposed of?

Mr. Franklin answered in the affirmative.

H. Gillard—Will you assist Mr. Fell to get the land he jumped? [Laughter.]

F. F. D. (in stentorian but brandyfied tone)—What about reciprocity? I am a British subject, that's my question! [Roar of laughter, during which a hoop was thrown over F. F. D. and his nearest neighbor, which created much diverson.]

In reply to Mr. Thorne Mr. Franklin said he thought the present taxation too high and not fair or equal. He would go in for economy.

Mr. Gibbs here came forward and spoke on a question of veracity. Mr. G. said he was one of those who called upon Mr. Franklin and he (Mr. Franklin) said he would support the bill; he never said he was opposed to it. [Hear!] Mr. Gibbs was told to ask a question, and not make a speech.

Mr. Franklin then explained that he had opposed granting full privileges to aliens. Messrs. Lester and Gibbs came to him again and he told them he would vote for a term after five years, but his opinions were unchanged. It did not follow that because the bill passed an alien must go into the House. It rested with the people to say whether they would send them there.

Mr. Searby next came before the electors and was received with three hearty cheers. He thanked the electors for their cordial reception, and remarked that he would not make a long speech. He would inform the electors that he was not a Sir Robert Peel (laughter,) but he would promise them that they might always know where to find him. Many points alluded to by Mr. Franklin were the same as his own, but he thought if they could enter the House together, they would often be found voting on opposite sides. Mr. Searby then took up and enlarged upon the following subjects:

Free Port.—His views on this subject were well known. He believed our prosperity was dependent on its continuance.

Crown Lands.—He considered that the crown lands should be the property of the colony, but what was the case? A large proportion of the best lands had been disposed of and the conditions for the conveyance of the remainder were, that we should pay a heavy civil list. One item at the head of this list was $15,000 for a governor; he thought we should contribute towards the payment of the governor, but the crown having disposed of those land somehow or other, they should pay the greater portion of his salary. The home government had done nothing for this colony and had no claim whatever to make us entirely self-supporting, after having taken away so much of our crown lands. He believed that the investigations of the Crown Lands Committee should be carried out to the fullest extent to see what had become of the lands sold and how much remained. He agreed with Mr. Frank lin that the great want of this colony was capital, and he thought a direct line of steamers to Panama would help that want. He would not advocate a large subsidy, however, as he thought it might be obtained by a small one.

Education—He advocated cheap common school education as a direct means of bringing and keeping families in the country.

Female Immigration—On this question Mr. Searby said Mr. Franklin was unquestionably sound. Capital was what was wanted, and that could not be obtained without immigration. He was in favor of a sum being set apart for immigration purposes.

Corporation—He was determined to introduce a new Incor oration act, but as another gentleman was about to introduce one, he did not wish to take it out of his hands. He thought a great fault to be found with the present position of the Corporation was that they had not a single inch of ground they could place their foot upon and say this is city property. Mr. Searby proceeded to explain the course adopted by the Council, of which he was a late member, relative to the borrowing and expenditure of money. He thought the number of Councillors should be increased to nine. He did not think it just that real estate should alone be taxed.

Alien Act. Mr. Searby would ask by whom is this act opposed? [F. F. D. By all Britons. Laughter] By a number of self styled Britons. [F. F. D. Where from—Manchester?] Mr. S.—If these very men were in Britain now their views would not be supported by one-tenth of the population. He would ask whether electors were satisfied with Mr. Franklin's explanation of his views on the question. That gentleman had voted for and supported the bill twice, and now from expediency he opposed it. It had been said that he (Mr. S.) had sold himself on this question (cries of no, no). Mr. Searby then explained that when he was first asked whether he would support the law, he was against it, but he had mistaken the question and did not know the nature of the bill. After looking into Mr. Ridge's bill he unhesitatingly declared himself in favor of that bill, and thought that the British constitution was in much less danger under that bill than the present one; no alien can sit in the House without the assent of the electors, and it consequently rested with them as to who should go in. Look at the men who supported the late Alien bill in the House; are the honorable Speaker of the House, the Colonial Secretary, Messrs. Burnaby, DeCosmos, Ridge and Tolmie the men to sell the British constitution? (hear, hear) Mr. Searby said he would proceed to notice a statement made in a small paper, but too small however to state falsehoods. [A voice—Read it! nobody else does.] (Laughter.) Mr. Searby then explained that he was not in the colony when the "proscription" question occurred. It had been said that Mr. Franklin had a greater stake in the country than himself; Mr. Franklin was not so bound down to the colony as he was, as he (Mr. F.) could sell out his property and leave at any time with little loss, while his (Mr. Searby's) whole prosperity was bound up in the colony. Mr. Searby concluded by passing a high eulogium on the British constitution. It was the most liberal and at the same time the most conservative in the world. Britons were un ted as one man under that constitution; he was a lover of it, and would yield to none in loyalty and attachment to British institutions.

Mr. F. Perrett—Are you in favor of the Firemen's Exemption Act?

Mr. S.—I am glad you have alluded to that. I am most decidedly in favor of exempting the firemen to whom the town owes so much, from all jury duty.

Mr. Searby retired from the hustings amid much applause.

Mr. A. J. Welch said he had been bitterly opposed by both COLONIST and *Chronicle*, particularly the latter—for what reasons he need not explain to the public. He had been urged by the papers to retire in favor of Mr. Searby, but he had been the first in the field, and it was Mr. Searby that was interfering with him, not him with Mr. Searby. [derisive laughter.] Interested parties had tried to drag Mr. Searby from the retirement of selling medicine, (loud groans and hisses) Hardy Gillard.—Mr. Fell is going to make pills for him. (laughter.)

Mr. Welch said he was determined to stand his ground and poll the last man. (A voice—That's easy done!) If the electors thought him worthy to represent them he would do so honestly and to the best of his ability. (A voice—go home and make sour beer. laughter)

Mr. Welch then pitched into Mr. Franklin without gloves, showing up his conduct as chairman of the Gordon defalcation Committee, and his vacillating policy in regard to the Alien Bill, and other important public questions. He denied having had any understanding with Mr. Franklin or his committee. Mr. Welch went on at much length to expound his views, and was very patiently listened to, but owing to the cold the reporters found it difficult to continue their notes.

No other candidates coming forward, the Sheriff called for a show of hands for Mr. Franklin, when not more than two or three dozen hands were raised, a result which produced shouts of laughter from the assembled multitude.

A show was then called for Mr. Searby, when a forest of hands were held up from all parts of the crowd.

The next call was for Mr. Welch, when every one present, the friends of the other two candidates included, raised their hands, many throwing up both fists, amid uproarious laughtef. The Sheriff declared the show of hands to be in favor of J. Welch, and a poll was demanded for the other two candidates.

VOX POPULI.—The result of the nomination yesterday shows conclusively the opinion of the electors on the merits of the two candidates before them. The straightforward manly address of Mr. Searby, coming after the shuffling, inconclusive, non-committal speech of Mr. Franklin, must have satisfied the doubts of any who were still uncertain whom to support. The show of hands was at least FIVE TO ONE for Mr. Searby, and we are confident that the poll to-day will tell a similar tale. It is utterly impossible for Mr. Franklin to throw off the imputation of vacillating and unreliable conduct which has been fastened on him—like Dejanira's poisoned tunic it but clings to him the closer for his frantic struggles to cast it off. This it was that ruined him at the nomination yesterday, and this will have the inevitable result of ensuring his rejection at the polls to-day.

THE LAST DODGE.—Mr. Welch, knowing that his own chance of success is hopeless, is trying all in his power to damage Mr. Searby, in order to secure the election of Mr. Franklin. His last dodge, through his committee, has been to challenge Mr. Searby's qualification—a spiteful trick, but showing the *animus* of the man. The communication in another part of our columns, from the chairman of Mr. Searby's committee, sets the matter completely at rest.

FOR SANGSTER ISLAND.— The steamer Otter, Capt. Swanson, will leave for Sangster Island at 12 o'clock to-night, with a number of the shareholders, as well as several mining engineers and contractors. We understand the company will give out some large contracts should the appearance of the lodes give that satisfaction which is anticipated.

☞ The steamer Eliza Anderson was towed out of port yesterday by the G. S. Wright. Rumor hath it that the Sheriff "wanted" the former steamer, but although her steam was off, she found a friend in need and slipped the clutches of the law.

LOST.—Miss Fanny Morgan has not yet recovered the diamond ring lost by her on Monday evening, in or about the theatre. A liberal reward will be paid by Mr. Ralph Phelps for its restoration.

THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.—Did not meet yesterday, a majority of the members being busy electioneering for Mr. Searby. The House will probably not meet to-day, for a similar reason.

AN ELECTIONEERING SQUIB.

The following skit was sent us yesterday for publication, with a promise from the author that if approved of he would be open for "further orders" on the doings of the other candidates and their friends.

GRAND PROCESSION.

At noon to-day a GRAND PROCESSION will form in front of the POLICE BARRACKS, when the following order will be strictly observed:

The vanguard will be led by the

MARSHAL,

commonly known as an EARL of *Colonial* celebrity, carrying in his hand a huge "nigger driver," from Dixie, with which he is ordered to keep off the dangerous "aliens."

Next in order will follow

THE WAVERING CANDIDATE,

Waving the red emblem which may occasionally be seen fluttering before his door, embellished however, on this occasion, with the figure of a "Weathercock" on one side and on the other with the words "Female Immigration.'.

This candidate will be observed to walk with an air of confidence, graciously acknowledging every wink and nod, whether intended for him or not, and will be supported on either side by a few of the "high toned," amongst whom place will be found for

GOING GONE!

A rotund relative of jovial countenance, who, however, belies the amiable expression of his countenance by carrying a huge "hammer" carefully concealed under a map of city property, with which he is fully purposed to "knock down" the "opposing element." To avoid suspicion he will assume an air of *sang froid*, and will occasionally hum a French national air, but it will be necessary to keep a close watch upon him, particularly when he hooks and eyes with a

CALIFORNIAN REFUGEE,

But now an *Express* "citizen" of strong conservative proclivities, whose very appearance is enough to strike terror into the minds of the electors.

Next will appear

A FORMIDABLE ARRAY OF "SAW BONES."

The first—a "hoary-headed senator," proudly displaying his armorial bearings, viz.: A Grasshopper couchant on a Clover Field. Motto—"The Law'd helps those who help themselves."

The second—an M. D. mounted on a "Griffin" armed with a "Boomerang," *in-quest* of a *body* of supporters, to whom instead of giving cards he intends to supply a number of jury summonses.

The third—a solemn looking old "doc" presenting nothing remarkable but his understandings, which are of curvilinear and Herculean mould.

The fourth—An arch old senator and well known public "Speaker," in a Guy Fawkes hat and economically short pants, celebrated for his anti-progressive tendencies.

The fifth—A brother chip from Noah's ark (who has resided since the flood in the neighborhood of Mount Tolmie) and whose movements are considerably impeded by the weight of a wheel-barrow laden with guns and ammunition for "coast defences."

Plenty of space must here be left for

A "MARE"

with a large development (improperly denominated according to some few of the Assinine breed)

A CORPORATION.

N. B.—A messenger armed with a "bill hook" and "cleaver" will be directed to preserve room for this portion of the procession, with orders to employ "force" if necessary.

Alongside of the former will be seen

"AN EX-POLITICAL ADVENTURER!"

Mounted on his favorite hobby horse "CONSTITUTION, (Sire, C-r-y, dam'd by Cameronian) "ringing" the changes on a cracked "Bell," hired (for this occasion only) from the *Chronicle* office.

After which

"THE DUKE OF BEAUFORT,"

A gay and festive old cuss, in immaculate kids and irreproachable tile, who, "from an experience of many years," has arrived at the inevitable conclusion that "should the 'weathercock' by any means obtain the largest number of votes, (which he won't, you bet!) his return will be certain."

Close on the heels of the aforesaid old bird will be treading

"MERCURY!"

disguised in the mortal garb of a lawyer, who being prone to fly off at a tangent, is occasionally restrained by a trio of

SCOTCH TERRIERS,

of the "pepper and mustard" breed, set to watch over him by

"JERRY,"

a "Sooke-y" old "Copper-head.

The rear will be brought up by that well-known slow-sailing, heavy iron clad

"MONITOR."

It being thought that this shaky and unmanageable old craft, although it invariably expends its ammunition without effect, will at all events divert the enemy by creating a deal of smoke

CARIBOO AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The steamer Enterprise arrived yesterday New Westminster with 40 passengers, and as nearly as could be ascertained, about $80,000 in treasure, $40,000 of which came by Dietz & Nelson's Express.

Barnard's Cariboo Express, with dates from Richfield to the 8th inst., came on the Enterprise, and among the passengers were Mr. and Mrs. Steele, Mr. Burns, (of the Burns Tunnel Co.) and other familiar faces in Victoria.

Mr. Steele reports the river open all the way up. The weather had been exceedingly cold; thermometer 25 degrees below zero.

The Fraser river had risen as much as 12 feet in 24 hours. The steamers Caledonia and Henrietta were both afloat again, and the latter was plying with freight from the mouth of Harrison River to Douglas.

From the British Columbian.

Mr. Winkler, of the firm of Marks & Winkler, of Victoria, arrived in a canoe on Wednesday night, having left Richfield on the 4th inst. The weather was very cold, the mercury having fallen as low as 24 below zero on the morning of the 4th. At Alexandria the mercury was frozen! Snow was 3 feet deep from Williams to Van Winkle, thence to Beaver Pass 1½ to 2 feet, thence to the mouth of Quesnelle 8 to 14 inches, thence to the Junction 8 to 10 inches, with excellent sleighing. A sleigh road has been constructed from Alexandria to the Mouth of Quesnelle, so that sleighs can now be driven through from the Junction to Beaver Pass—a distance of 234 miles—without encountering any difficulty; and if the traffic on the road between that point and Richfield were sufficient to keep the road open, sleighing would be excellent right into Williams Creek. Market prices had undergone very little change, with a few trifling exceptions, nor is any rise expected, as the means of regular supply is now so greatly improved. Fresh beef was, however, becoming scarce.

There is very little mining news of interest. Twelve companies were still at work; but most of these were merely prospecting, the Caledonia company being the only one taking out any considerable amount of gold. Six hundred feet of the "bed-rock drain" had been completed, and they were waiting for the charter, which was met at Soda Creek on the way in. When that arrived, the work would be prosecuted vigorously, and is expected to be completed by the 1st of May. A "bed rock flume" is projected and about to be constructed from above the cañon to the upper end of Steel's claim. This will enable claims to be worked which have been lying idle for years for want of water. Hill diggings and others known to be rich can thus be worked by hydraulic, to great advantage. With the bed-rock drain and flume in operation the whole length of the creek now opened can be worked all the year round, and employment will thus be provided for 2,500 to 3,000 men. Considerable prospecting is being done on Canadian, French, Stewarts, and other creeks and gulches, and in most instances good prospects have been obtained.

There were foot races at Richfield on New Year's Day, Commissioner Cox presiding. A liberal purse was made up by subscription. There were nearly 400 people on the ground. The population of the creek is about 700. Hard Curry had arrived and his steam engine had reached Alexandria. Wright had commenced sleighing in goods. Mr. Beedy is at Yale, and we are happy to say, is rapidly recovering his eye sight under the skilful treatment of Dr. Bradshaw. It was his intention to proceed to San Francisco to procure the best medical advice; but he expresses himself perfectly satisfied with Dr. Bradshaw.

INFORMATION WANTED.—Having received a letter from George M. Monro, brother of Donald Monro, whose body was found in the upper country last spring, asking for certain information respecting his deceased relative; we would feel obliged by any one acquainted with the circumstances informing us whether any papers or letters were found upon the body, whether it received burial, and if so, by whom, together with any other particulars which would naturally prove interesting to a surviving and sorrowing brother.

EUROPEAN.

The Dutch have sent twelve vessels, with 223 guns, as a reinforcement to Japan, and a further addition is expected.

At Cologne, a young lady of good family was recently sentenced to a month's imprisonment for robbing a live ostrich, an inmate of the Zoological Gardens there, of some of his finest plumes.

The late King of Denmark recently ordered the vigorous prosecution of researches in the Nydamm Morass, in Sundewit. Objects of antiquity of various kinds have lately been found there. They are stated to belong mostly to the second and third centuries. On the 27th Oct. in the course of a six hours' search, besides a large Gothic vessel of war, a boat of nearly thirty feet in length was brought to light. Various weapons were found at the same time, some of them lying in the boat, others around it, among which were an iron arrow-head and three swords, with rare bronze ornaments on the sheaths. The excavations are going on with success.

THE ALLEGED CONFEDERATE PRIVATEER PAMPERO.—In consequence of further communications received from Government, Captain Farquar, of her Majesty's ship Hogue, and Collector Holder, of the Customs, proceeded to Glasgow on Thursday, to consult with the Customs authorities there with regard to the screw-steamer Pampero, the result of which was that on Friday night the gun-boat Goldfinch, tender to her Majesty's ship Hogue, proceeded up the Clyde to Glasgow, commanded by Lieutenant Gregory, and having Captain Farquhar on board. She was moored to the buoy in the stream opposite the Pampero, which is finishing her fittings at the crane on Finnieston Quay. The Pampero is now almost finished in her fittings, and it is expected that another week will complete her, a large number of workmen having been employed on board since her launch at the end of last month. We understand there is no intention on the part of Government to interfere with her being finished, and no attempt will be made by the man-of-war to board her, their only orders at present being to detain her if she should try to clear out. The Pampero is a fine looking screw-steamer of over 200 feet in length, barque-rigged, and is built on the new system of a combination of wood and iron, all below the lower deck being wood sheathed with copper outside, and above of common plate-iron.—*Scotsman.*

☞ The Committee on Crown Lands is not expected to resume its sittings till Monday next.

THE SUPPLIES.—The House goes into Committee on Supply to-morrow.

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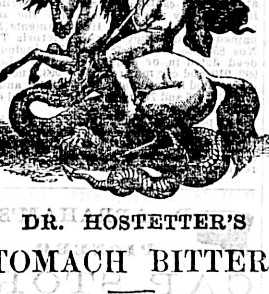

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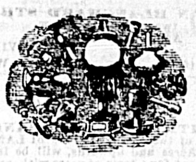

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VICTORIA, V. I. a51m

NOTICE.

The Bank of British North America.

Letters of Credit

WILL IN FUTURE BE ISSUED ON Victoria Branch by the Bank's Agents:

The Provincial Bank of Ireland;
National Bank of Scotland;
Manchester and Salford Bank;
Royal Bank of Liverpool;
Birmingham Town and District Bank;
Messrs. Lloyds & Co., of Birmingham;
The Union Bank of Australia;

J. G. SHEPHERD, Manager.
Victoria, 15th Dec., 1863. ja18

Title Deeds Stolen.

WHEREAS THE TITLE DEEDS belonging to the undermentioned Town Lots have been stolen or removed from the custody of Rene Prosper, the owner thereof. All persons are hereby cautioned against receiving, retaining or in any way dealing with the said deeds or with the lands and Hereditaments hereinafter named to which they relate. Victoria Town Lots, Nos. 853, 905, 940, 941, 786 and 787 included in one deed dated in or about July, 1858. Lots 942, 941, 992, 910, and one moiety of Lot 993, included in one deed dated in or about August, 1858, and Lots 1005, 970, 971, 776 and 777 included in one deed dated in or about May, 1862.
Any person restoring the deeds relating to the above Lots to the said Rene Prosper or bringing them to the office of Messrs Pearkes and Green, Solicitors, Government street, will receive $20 reward. ja15

D. ABRAHAM'S
PIONEER

CAP STORE!

JOHNSON STREET, between Waddington and Oriental Alleys.

D. ABRAHAM BEGS TO NOTIFY the public that he has opened the above establishment, and would be pleased to have purchasers call and examine his stock, being manufactured expressly for this market. Caps of every description may be found in his stock, such as

NAVY AND MILITARY,
JOCKEY AND HUNTING,
CHILDREN'S AND YOUTH'S, &c., &c.

All orders promptly executed.
The trade is requested to call and examine.
A good assortment of Hats constantly on hand

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

☞ Remember direction.
de30 1m D. ABRAHAM, Johnson street.

EUGENE THOMAS,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

DEALER IN

Wines, Brandies, Beers,

And Liquors of every Description,

Yates street, V. I.

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ARCH'D. MATHESON. & CO.,

Accountants,

Insurance Brokers,

And Cariboo Mining Agents,

OFFICE, GOVERNMENT STREET,

VICTORIA, V. I.
January 15th, 1864. Ja16 1m

REMOVAL.

WM. CULVERWELL

BEGS TO INFORM THE PUBLIC that he has removed his Office from Yates street to the premises lately occupied by Mr Drake, two doors from the

Colonist Office.

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Vaughan & Robertson,

Photographic Artists,

VICTORIA THEATRE, V. I.
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J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

Auctioneers & Commission Merchants,

WHARF STREET au

NOTICE.

I HAVE, ON THE 13TH INSTANT, sold to William Newbury my entire interest in the business heretofore carried on by me as Saddle and Harness Maker, in Yates street. I take this opportunity of thanking my former customers for their many favors, and I feel much pleasure in recommending them to my successor. As a mechanic Mr. Newbury has no superior, and his immense stock being the best selected and largest ever imported to this market, will enable him not only to compete with others, but to sell

25 per Cent Cheaper

Than any house on the Pacific Coast.
J. MARTIN.

REFERRING TO THE ABOVE, I would respectfully notify the public that I have assumed the business lately carried on by

MR. MARTIN,

IN YATES STREET,

Where by strict attention and correctness in business I hope to gain a fair portion of the patronage so liberally bestowed on my predecessor.

With this view I submit for their inspection

IN ADDITION

To the Already Extensive Stock,

A Splendid Assortment of

Ladies' Riding Saddles,

And Hewitt's Patent Rein Holders,

And a large variety of other Goods

EX NAPOLEON III.

Chronicle copy ja15 1m

GEO. CRUICKSHANK,

Accountant, Money Broker,

Land and Real Estate Agent,

BEGS TO INFORM HIS FRIENDS and the public that his engagement with the Bank of British Columbia having terminated, he has opened an office in Government street for the transaction of a General Agency and Brokerage business. Securities of every description negotiated on liberal terms. Loans arranged. Mortgages effected; City and Country Property bought, sold, and leased on commission.
Victoria, V. I., 1st January, 1864. Ja5

Mr. E. Mallandaine

WHO HAS HAD THE GREAT ADvantage of a London residence for the study of his profession under a late Fellow of the Institute of Architects, and of several years' experience in the Building Act in a leading Metropolitan District, would inform property holders, Real Estate Agents, and gentlemen interested in building, that he has commenced practice as an Architect, and assures all those who may favor him with commissions, of his undivided attention thereto.
Victoria, Nov. 18th, 1863. jal
OFFICE—Moore's Building, Yates street.

GEORGE BARNETT,

LAND AGENT

AND

STOCK AND SHARE BROKER

GOVERNMENT STREET.
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Royal Hospital.

SUBSCRIBERS TO THE ABOVE ARE respectfully informed that their annual subscriptions are now due and will be thankfully received by the Treasurer, A. F. Pemberton, Esq., or the President and Vice President.
An appeal is also made to the public for further aid towards the support of this benevolent institution.
E. CRIDGE,
de12 Secretary.

UNDERTAKING.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING A COMPLETE Stock on hand, is now prepared to execute any order therewith, on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

The Trade Supplied.

R. LEWIS,
Corner of Government and Broughton streets,
ja 8 tf Victoria.

HELMBOLD'S

Genuine Preparation.

HIGHLY CONCENTRATED

Compound Fluid Extract

BUCHU!

A Positive and Specific Remedy

FOR DISEASES OF THE

BLADDER, KIDNEYS, GRAVEL,

—AND—

Dropsical Swellings.

THIS MEDICINE INCREASES THE POWER of Digestion, and excites the ABSORBENTS into healthy action, by which the WATERY OR CALCAROUS depositions, and all UNNATURAL ENLARGEMENTS are reduced, as well as PAIN AND INFLAMMATION, and is good for

MEN WOMEN, AND CHILDREN

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HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU,

FOR WEAKNESS

Arising from Excesses, Habits of Dissipation, Early Indiscretion or Abuses, attended with the following Symptoms:

Indisposition to exertion, Loss of Memory, Weak Nerves, Horror of Disease, Dimness of Vision, Universal Lassitude of the Muscular System, Hot Hands, Dryness of the Skin, Loss of Power, Difficulty of Breathing, Trembling, Wakefulness, Pain in the Back, Flushing of the Body, Eruptions on the Face, Pallid Countenance

These symptoms, if allowed to go on, which this Medicine invariably removes, are followed by

Impotence, Fatuity, Epileptic Fits,

In one of which the patient may expire.
Who can say that they are not frequently followed by those "DIREFUL DISEASES."

"INSANITY AND CONSUMPTION."

Many are aware of the cause of their suffering, but none will confess.

The Records of the Insane Asylums, and the Melancholy Death by Consumption,

Bear ample witness of the truth of the assertion. The CONSTITUTION ONCE AFFECTED WITH ORGANIC WEAKNESS requires the aid of medicine to strengthen the system, which

HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU

Invariably does. A trial will convince the most skeptical.

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Females, Old or Young, Single, Married, or Contemplating Marriage.

In many affections peculiar to Females, the EXTRACT BUCHU is unequalled by any other Remedy, as in Chlorosis or Retention, Irregularity, Painfulness or Suppression of Customary Evacuations, Ulcerated or Schirious State of the Uterus, Leucorrhœa or Whites, Sterility, and for all complaints incidental to the sex, whether arising from indiscretion, habits of dissipation, or in the decline or change of life as the symptoms above

NO FAMILY SHOULD BE WITHOUT IT.

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Use Helmbold's Extract Buchu

For all affections and diseases of the URINARY ORGANS, whether existing in MALE or FEMALE, from whatever cause originating, and no matter of how LONG STANDING. Diseases of these organs require the aid of a DIURETIC.

HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU

Is the great Diuretic, and it is certain to have the desired effect in diseases for which it is recommended. Evidence of the most responsible and reliable character will accompany the medicines.

CERTIFICATES of CURES

From eight to twenty years standing, with names known to Science and Fame.

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HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU

CURES

Secret Diseases

In their last stages; little or no change diet; at little expense; no inconvenience, and no exposure. It causes a frequent desire and gives strength to urinate, thereby removing obstructions, preventing and curing Strictures of the Urethra, allaying pain and inflammation, so frequent in the class of diseases, and expelling all poisons, diseased and worn out matter. Thousands upon thousands who have been the victims of quacks, and who have paid heavy fees to be cured in a short time, have found they were deceived, and that the "poison" has, by the use of "powerful astringents," been dried up in the system, to break out in an aggravated form, and PERHAPS AFTER MARRIAGE.

CERTIFICATES FROM PHYSICIANS

BOSTON, July 17, 1860.

MR. HELMBOLD—DEAR SIR:—I have used your Extract Buchu in diseases of the bladder and kidneys with the most happy results, and I feel assured I never used an article of medicine that produced a more sure and certain relief for the complaints for which it is recommended.
JACKSON F. STEWART, M. D.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 21, 1860.

MR. HELMBOLD—DEAR SIR:—I have used your Extract Buchu in diseases of the bladder, kidneys, gravel and dropsy in my practice, and have witnessed such signal results arising from its use, that I have no hesitation in adding my testimony to the recommendations already given in favor of it.
Very respectfully,
D. WEBSTER HAINES, M. D.

PITTSBURG, May 14th, 1863.

MR. HELMBOLD—DEAR SIR—having used your medicines for some years in my practice, I can confidently recommend them to be all that you claim for them in dropsy, gravel, and diseases of the bladder and kidneys.
Truly yours,
W. F. CLINTON, M D.

BALTIMORE, April 13, 1857.

MR. HELMBOLD—DEAR SIR:—I am a physician of twenty-five years standing. I have prescribed your Extract Buchu in the various affections of the bladder and kidneys, and they have in all cases given the utmost satisfaction. I confidently recommend them to the profession as invaluable medicines, paramount to all others as a safe and speedy remedy in all cases of sickness for which it is recommended.
Very respectfully yours,
ROBT. F. GREEN, M. D.

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"Physicians Please Notice."

We Make no Secret of the "Ingredients."

HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU

Is composed of Buchu, Cubebs, and Juniper Berries selected with great care. Prepared in Vacuo.

BY H. T. HELMBOLD,

Practical and Analytical Chemist, and Sole Manufacturer of

HELMBOLD'S GENUINE PREPARATIONS,

PHILADELPHIA.

AFFIDAVIT:

Personally appeared before me an Alderman of the city of Philadelphia, H. T. Helmbold, who, being duly sworn, doth say his preparations contain no narcotic, no mercury, or other injurious drugs, but are purely vegetable.
Sworn and subscribed before me, this 23d day of November, 1857.
WM. P. HIBBERD,
Alderman, Ninth street above Race Phila.

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☞ SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

Agents for Pacific Coast,
HOSTETTER, SMITH & DEAN,
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Edward Bosqui & Co.,

517 Clay street, San Francisco.

BOOK-BINDERS, PAPER RULERS, and Account Book Manufacturers.

Blanks of all kinds Printed and Ruled to any desired Pattern.

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EX "NAPOLEON III"

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Stewart & Co.,

—ARE NOW RECEIVING, FROM THE ABOVE SHIP, THE—

UNDERMENTIONED MERCHANDISE,

CAREFULLY SELECTED FOR THIS MARKET.

CLOTHING.

Witney and Beaver Overcoats,

Inverness Wrappers, Melton, Cheviot, and Saxony Tweed Suits—various styles,

Tweed, Doeskin, and Black Cloth Kensington and Piccadilly Coats,

Black Dress Suits,

Tweed, Doeskin, and Black Cloth Trowsers,

do do Vests,

Crimean Shirts,

Regatta and Dress Shirts,

Grey Serge Shirts,

Lambswool Underclothing,

Lambswool Underclothing, hose and half hose

Aberdeen Knit do do

Merino do do

Cotton do do

Flannel Underclothing—white and scarlet

Men's Wool Sashes,

DRY GOODS.

Poplins, Ripps, Challies, etc.,

Delaines, Mohairs, and Muslins,

Winceys—plain and fancy,

Druggets and Wincey Skirts,

Cotton Prints, Cambrics, and Jean Stripes,

Damask in pieces, and Curtains of do

Cotton Chamberings, Orleans, etc,

BLANKETS—White, Scarlet, Black and Blue—in 2 1/2, 3, and 3 1/2-pts,

Ladies Underclothing—of every description,

Dress Trimmings—Silk, Linen, and Cotton Thread, etc,

White Cotton Sheetings, 30 and 36 inches,

Fine Black Cloths; Fancy and Black Doeskins, etc.,

Scotch Tweeds—A well assorted Invoice,

Carpetings—Kidderminster, Dutch, Jacquard, etc.

Coir Matting,

Grain Bags—all sizes,

Hessian in pieces—40-in wide,

Bed Ticks—canvas, etc,

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Men's Boots, Wellingtons, Balmoral, Elastic Sides, Watertights, Bluchers, etc.,

Ladies Boots—elastic sides, lacing, etc,

Children's Boots and Shoes,

Leather—Uts, Middlings, Hides, Crop Bellies, etc,

Shoemaker's Thread, etc.

HARDWARE.

Sheet Copper, Sheet Zinc, Sheet Iron

Saws—panel and cross-cut, etc,

Brass Wire, Copper Rivets, and Saw Files,

Bells—Tea and Dinner, and other sorts,

Plated Tea and Coffee Sets,

Beads—for Indians.

OILMAN'S STORES.

Crosse & Blackwell's Pickles—pints and qts,

John Burgess & Sons' celebrated Sauces,

Brown & Polson's Corn Flour, Groats, Sago, etc,

Currants and Raisins,

Spices—a good assortment

Teas—Congou, Souchong, and Capur,

Colman's Mustard, Washing Blue, etc,

Paints—North British Color Co's.

Carbonate of Soda, and a selection of Drugs and Perfumery.

—ALSO—

Champagne—first quality,

Pianos—from Alison & Sons,

Dog Carts—4-wheeled, with silver-plated harness, complete. Awarded the first prize at the Exhibition of 1862. Maker, Thompson, Perth.

BRADFORD'S COMBINED WASHING, WRINGING, AND MANGLING MACHINE.
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JOHN WILKIE & CO.

Are now landing from the above Ship, the following large assortment of

Clothing, Hosiery, Dry Goods, Etc,,

MANUFACTURED EXPRESSLY FOR THIS MARKET.

CLOTHING AND HOSIERY.

Beaver and Witney Chesterfield Coats,

Beaver and Witney Inverness Capes,

Blue Pilot and Witney International Overcoats,

Beaver, Melton and Tweed Kensington Coats

Witney, Beaver and Fancy Tweed Sac Coats, in Prince of Wales, Napoleon and Colonial styles,

Black Cloth and Tweed Picadilly Coats,

Black Cloth Frock Coats.

Tweed and Doeskin Suits—in every style

Waterproof Coats,

Heavy Saxony Tweed Trowsers,

Heavy Cheviot Tweed Trowsers,

Fancy Doeskin do

Black Cloth do

Blue Pilot do

Bedford and Woolen cord do

Moleskin and Corduroy do

Dungaree Trowsers

Black Cloth, Tweed and Doeskin Vests

Boys' and Youths' Clothing—A complete assortment,

CRIMEAN SHIRTS—a great variety,

Grey and Blue Serge Shirts,

Sealskin Shirts,

Gentlemen's Dressing Gowns,

White, Shetland, and Fancy Lambswool Undershirts and Drawers,

White Merino and Brown Cotton Underclothing,

Shetland, Blue-Grey and Fancy Lambswool half-hose,

Scotch knit hose and half-hose,

Brown Cotton half-hose,

Boy's and Youth's Lambswool Underclothing,

do do Hose and half-hose,

White, Dress, and Regatta Shirts,

Linen and Paper Collars

White and Scarlet Flannel Undershirts and Drawers,

Melton and Tweed Jumpers,

Ties and Scarfs,

Fancy Wool Scarfs,

Cardigan Jackets,

Tweed and Felt Hats.

DRY GOODS.

Black and Colored Silks.

Irish Poplins.

6-4 Scotch Tartans.

Winceys and Druggets.

Fancy Dress Stuffs.

Cotton Prints.

Printed Flannels, Delaines, &c.

White and Scarlet Flannels.

Tapestry and Kidderminster Carpeting and Rugs.

Grey Calicos and Croydon Sheetings.

Roll Jaconets, Silecias, &c.

Fine Irish Linens, Drills, and Brown Hollands.

Ribbons, Muslins, &c.

Haberdashery—The largest and most complete assortment ever offered in this Colony.

Silk, Alpacca, and Cotton umbrellas.

Ladies Garibaldi Jackets and Vests.

Childrens fancy Hosiery.

Kid Gloves.—Ladies and Gentlemen's

Lace and Ruche Trimmings.

8-4 Tartan Shawls.

Paisley and Woollen Plaids.

Bandannas and Cotton Handkerchiefs.

Hanties.—In Silk, Witney, and Black Cloth.

Millinery.—Head dresses, Flowers, Feathers, &c.

—ALSO—

Mahogany and Rosewood Desks, all sizes.

P. M. Inkstands, Blotters, Envelope Cases, Card and Tea Trays, &c.—Inlaid Pearl Stereoscopes, Watches, &c.

Brushes, Combs, &c.

Corner of Wharf and Bastion Streets.
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IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice, V. I.;

Wednesday, the 30th day of December, 1863.

In re NATHANIEL STROUT, a Bankrupt;

HIS HONOR THE CHIEF JUSTICE has appointed WEDNESDAY, the 3d day of February, 1864, for the final examination of the Bankrupt and the granting of his certificate.
ROBERT BISHOP,
Government street, Victoria,
de31 Solicitor for the Bankrupt.

Queen Insurance Company,

Capital, £1,000,000, Sterling.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE BEEN appointed Agents for the above Company, and are now prepared to issue Policies.
ja20 1m DICKSON, CAMPBELL & Co.

A CARD.

DAVID WALKER, M. D.,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,

Office, Government street, 4 doors South of Fort st

RESIDENCE:

Fisguard street, late Mrs. Dodd's, near the Iron Church Ja 4 1w

ANDREW ROBERTSON

TAILOR,

FORT STREET,

(BETWEEN GOVERNMENT AND BROAD STS.

WHILE RETURNING THANKS to his numerous customers for the patronage already received, begs leave to inform them and the general public that a large consignment has just come to hand of FRENCH CLOTHS, TWEEDS, and DOESKINS; WEST OF ENGLAND BROADCLOTHS and TWEEDS; also, a large assortment of Scotch Tweeds—all of the best material and most Fashionable Patterns.
A. R. receives regularly the NEWEST ENGLISH and AMERICAN FASHIONS, and warrants a FIRST CLASS FIT on most moderate terms. Jal 1m

JAMES BAY

BREWERY.

Cooper, Perkins, & Co.

The Trade and Families supplied with

PRIME ALE,

STOUT AND PORTER,

IN BULK OR BOTTLE.
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REAL ESTATE.

"Real Estate Tax Amendment Act, 1862."

THE ASSESSOR WOULD DIRECT the attention of the public to the following Clause of the Act providing for an additional Duty of FIVE PER CENT. in cases where no return of Real Estate is made.

CHARLES G. WYLLY,
Assessor of Vancouver Island.

ASSESSOR'S OFFICE, Victoria, V. I., Jan 23, 1864.

"Clause XXXVII—Any person neglecting to return Real Estate in respect of which he is liable to assessment, shall be liable personally to an additional duty of Five per cent. of the Tax leviable upon the market value of such Real Estate, to be assessed, collected and paid in the same manner as the One per cent Tax." ja25 8t

NOTICE

Real Estate Assessment.

ALL PERSONS, OWNERS OF REAL Estate in any Electoral District, are requested to make a statement in writing according to the form A, hereunto annexed, of what Real Estate they hold, and where situated; to describe such Real Estate, giving the Admeasurements thereof; and to deliver such statement at the office of the Assessor of Vancouver Island and its Dependencies, on or before the 1st day of February next.
CHARLES G. WYLLY,
Assessor.
Assessor's Office,
Victoria, V. I., 1st January, 1864. } Jan1 1m

SCHEDULE A.

Owner's Name.	Place of Residence.	Description of property and where situated, Town or District.	Admeasurements No of Block or Section.	No of Lot.

(Signature of the person making the Return.)

ALL CURES MADE EASY!!!

—BY—

Holloway's Ointment.

Bad Legs, Ulcerous Sores, Bad Breasts, and Old Wounds.

No description of wound, sore or ulcer can resist the healing properties of this excellent Ointment. The worst cases readily assume a healthy appearance whenever this medicament is applied; sound flesh springs up from the bottom of the wound, inflammation of the surrounding skin is arrested, and a complete and permanent cure quickly follows the use of the Ointment.

Piles, Fistulas and Internal Inflammation.

These distressing and weakening diseases may with certainty be cured by the sufferers themselves, if they will use Holloway's Ointment, and closely attend to the printed instructions. It should be well rubbed upon the neighboring parts, when all obnoxious matter will be removed. A poultice of bread and water may sometimes be applied at bed time with advantage: the most scrupulous cleanliness must be observed. If those who read this paragraph will bring it under the notice of such of their acquaintances whom it may concern, they will render a service that will never be forgotten, as a cure is certain.

Rheumatism, Gout and Neuralgia.

Nothing has the power of reducing inflammation and subduing pain in these complaints in the same degree as Holloway's cooling Ointment and purifying Pills. When used simultaneously they drive all inflammation and depravities from the system, subdue and remove all enlargement of the joints, and leave the sinews and muscles lax and uncontracted. A cure may always be effected, even under the worst circumstances, if the use of these medicines be persevered in.

Eruptions, Scald Head, Ringworm, and other Skin Diseases.

After fomentation with warm water, the utmost relief and speediest cure can be readily obtained in all complaints affecting the skin and joints, by the simultaneous use of the Ointment and Pills. But it must be remembered that nearly all skin diseases indicate the depravity of the blood and derangement of the Liver and stomach; consequently in many cases time is required to purify the blood which will be effected by a judicious use of the Pills. The general health will readily be improved, although the eruption may be driven out more freely than before, and which should be promoted; perseverance is necessary.

Sore Throats, Diptheria, Quinsey, Mumps and all other Derangements of the Throat.

On the appearance of any of these maladies the Ointment should be rubbed at least three times a day upon the neck and upper part of the chest, so as to penetrate to the glands, as salt is forced into meat; this course will at once remove inflammation and ulceration. The worst cases will yield to this treatment by following the printed directions.

Scrofula, or King's Evil, and Swelling of the Glands.

This class of cases may be cured by Holloway's purifying Pills and Ointment, as their double action of purifying the blood and strengthening the system renders them more suitable than any other remedy for all complaints of a scrofulous nature. As the blood is impure, the liver stomach and bowels being much deranged, require purifying medicine to bring about a cure.

Both the Ointment and Pills should be used in the following cases:

Bad Legs	Chilblains	Fistulas	Sore-throats
Bad Breasts	Chilblains	Gout	Skin-diseases
Burns	Ch